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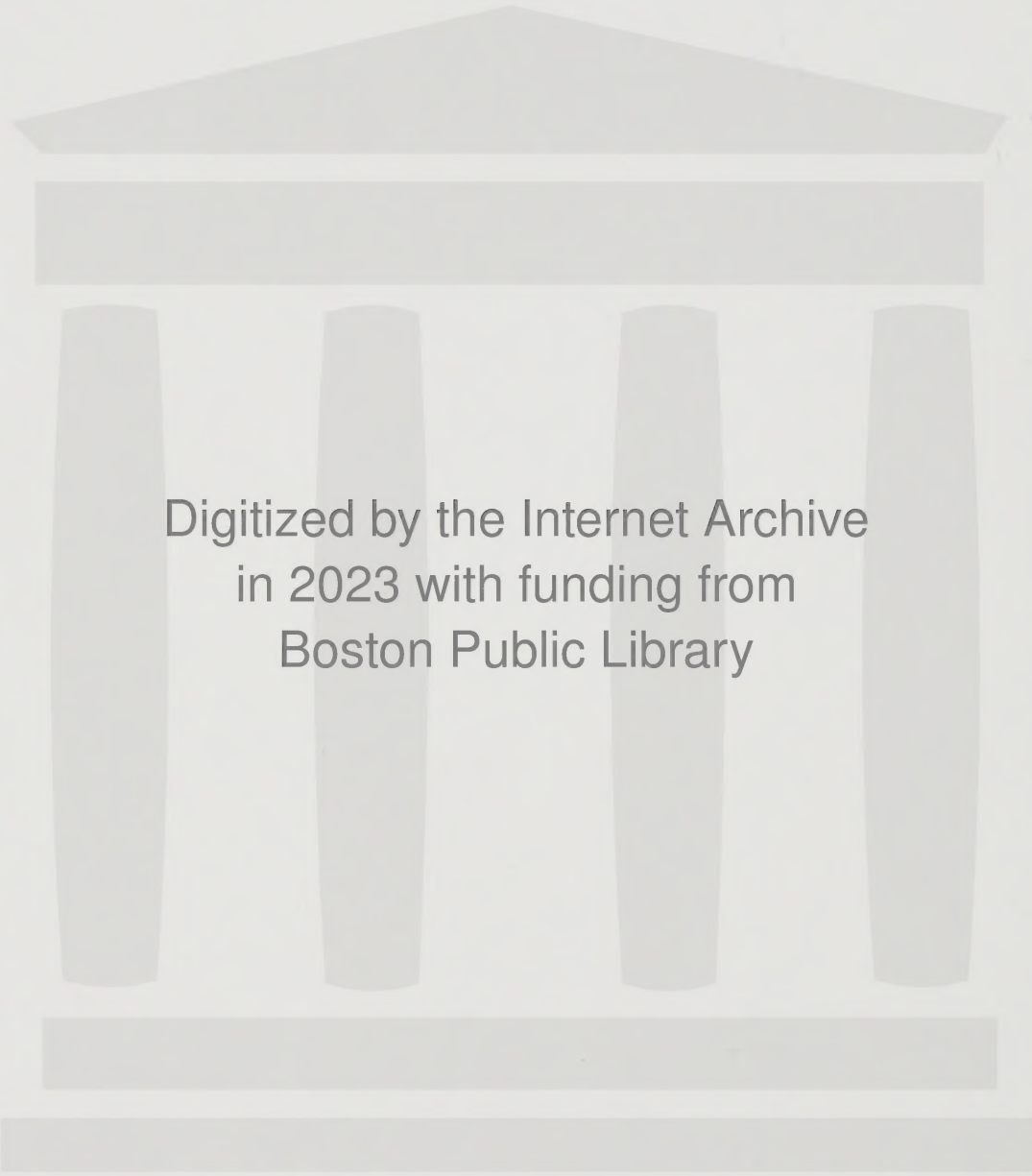
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Changes

The structure of Ludlow High School was last changed in 1972 when an addition was added. A town vote in 1998 approved renovations and a second addition to the building. Throughout the 1999 year renovations and progress changed the appearance of the school.

But the spirit of the students never changes. It is not the building that students remember years later when they look back on their years at Ludlow High School. It is the friendships, the hard work, the teachers, and the good times that will be immortal in their memories.



► A group of enthusiastic freshmen volunteers the answers in Mr. Mark Augusto's English class.

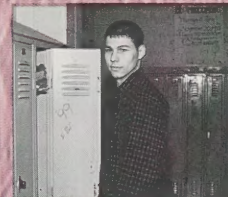




Senior Carlie Lavin looks over her note cards in her study.



Anna Silvestri shows off her hat and sun glasses at the senior banquet.



Marco Saraiva visits his locker between classes.



Seniors Chris Gendreau and Cidalia Gomes share an affectionate hug.

Student Life

S`i`g`n`s` O`f` E`x`i`s`t`e`n`c`e`

Students trudge in from the buses and hurry to their lockers. Some enter from the front parking lot where they have just used the precision and advanced maneuvering of an Air Force flight squad to find a parking space. The bell rings and a mysterious voice from on high is heard saying "The time is 7:22; all students should be on their way to A Block now." So begins a typical day at Ludlow High School. Students scatter, last-minute homework is thrown hastily into backpacks, as people rush through the halls towards their first class.

When the bell rings to end class, students are out the door, sprinting through the hallways, barely missing collisions with the brave senior patrol. From homework to tests, students at Ludlow High stay busy academically. By the time the afternoon announcements come around, students are anxiously watching the clock, counting the seconds until 1:55 when the day is officially over. However, for many students there is still plenty of school work to be done.

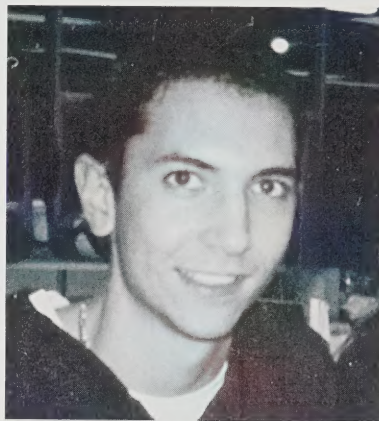
Making Change

C'o'p'i'n'g' W'i't'h' W'o'r'k'

Work is as much of a part of some students' lives as school is.

Many students work to finance events such as the prom or to pay for car insurance. Jobs can be child care or food preparation, office work, or physical labor. Work also offers students the opportunity to meet people from other schools and towns.

Co-workers can become friends after bonding experiences such as "the breakfast rush" in a coffee shop or the pre-Christmas hysteria at a department store.



"I'm working to pay the bills, but I still have fun doing it," says Poore Simons employee, Danny Oliveira.

Work is a chance for students to get out into the real world. They learn skills as valuable as any they might learn in school. They learn how to interact with people and work machinery. They learn about the responsibility of fitting work schedules into their lives.

Although work on school nights can pose a problem, far more dreaded is having to work on weekends. Students take pride in their jobs. Work is an important part of high school life.

► Senior Lindsay Calkins works diligently at her fast-paced job at Video Studio. She is currently testing phone durability after hours of use.

►► A trip to Rocky's Ace Hardware in Ludlow finds junior Keith Smith hard at work making change.





Junior Leana Alves and senior Lisa Gonçalves makin' friends while makin' donuts

“Welcome to Bradlees... How may I help you?” is a familiar phrase for seniors Heather Fonseca, Jay Juliano, Bella Soares, and Melisa Rubbo.



“I think that the worst part of my job is when customers yell at me about things that I have no control over.”

***- Alise Marques
'00
Cashier,
CVS, Ludlow***

► "It's 7:20. Everyone should be in A block now." As the bell sounds, Hilary Roberts, Jeremy James, Matt Vitorino, Nick Gates, and Kim LaPlante head toward their classes.

►► Seniors Angela Tiago and Matt Glista stop by their lockers before heading to their senior patrol posts.



***"Don't worry folks
I will remember
all of you when I
am the funniest
man in the world."***

-Steve Carroll '99





Class Changes

W'a't'c'h'i'n'g' t'h'e' c'l'o'c'k'

The clock ticks as every student in the class sits waiting in anxious anticipation for the sound of the bell. Teachers try to shout out last minute assignments over the noises of backpacks zipping and textbooks slamming. As soon as the bell rings, the students are off. While running in the halls isn't permitted, a brisk walk is often necessary to get from one end of the building to the other.

After a short time at Ludlow, students learn their own

tricks for avoiding hallway traffic jams and shaving valuable seconds off their between class social time. At the last minute, students hurry down short-cut hallways to get to their class just as the bell rings. After a brief forty-five minute rest they must do it all over again.

The stamina and endurance that it requires to travel through the halls in Ludlow High School makes every student into a world-class athlete.



"My motto in school is 'Life is short, live it up'," says senior Sumaiya Abdullah.



❖ Lunch seems to be every student's favorite part of the day. Many take time to catch up with friends or just to relax.

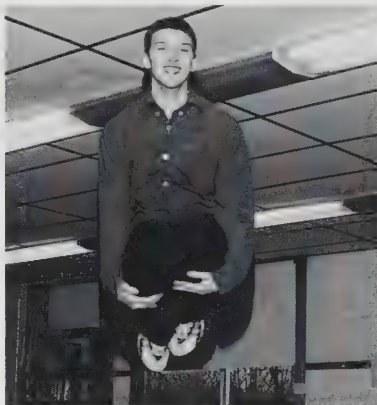
❖ Some students have trouble getting all of their homework done. Senior Eddie Privedenyuk takes time out of his psychology class to finish up his work.

Signs of Talent

S't'u'd'e'n't's' G'e't' C'r'e'a't'i'v'e'

Ludlow High School is filled with many talented students. Even the quietest students are sometimes be talented individuals. Hidden talents often are unveiled at unexpected moments.

Artistic ability, musical talent, and acting genius often appear around the time of the Senior Show, seemingly out of nowhere. The surprise that these talents generate when they are exposed is part of what makes life at Ludlow High School interesting and exciting. Hobbies can generate



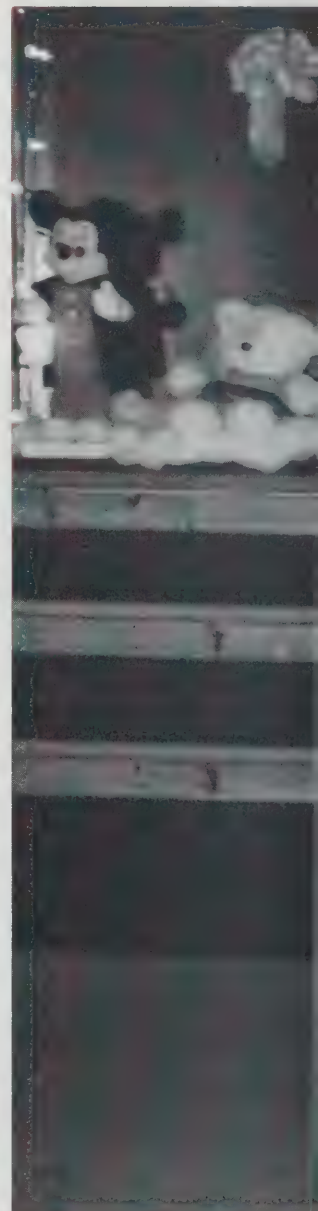
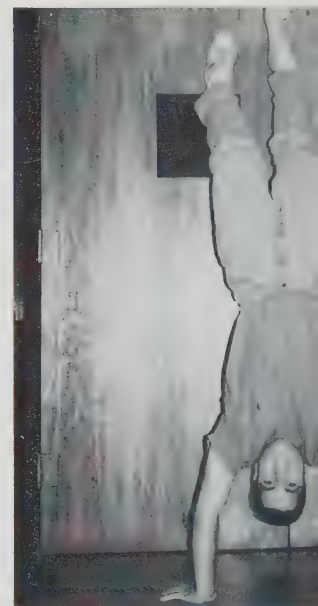
"Meditation, levitation, and self defense; this is what I have learned from the great art of karate," says senior, Patrick Chrzanowski.

talents that are useful. During times when classes unite for events such as skit productions and banquets, these talents can become very helpful. Students who participate in sports, clubs, and musical groups around the school have the opportunity to practice their skills.

As the year progresses, talents are developed and strengthened. Over the course of four years at Ludlow High School, students discover that they have many abilities and gifts to share.


► Seniors Alycia Drobot, Anne Kowalski, and Theresa Widor finish up their works of art while mentally preparing themselves for their upcoming performances in the senior show.

► Mary Butler impresses others with her flexibility, balance, and sense of rhythm. After dancing for thirteen years, Mary has developed into a talented jazz, ballet, and tap dancer.





 Jill Nascimento demonstrates her equestrian talent on her horse Monty. Jill has been riding horses since elementary school.

 Senior Mark Soares expresses his athletic talent in different ways. Everyday he practices his famous handstand in the history hallway.



"It took me years of practice to perfect this talent."

- Leo Piecuch '01

► Seniors Ashlee Gonçalves, Ana Silvestri, Jessica Salema, Jason Martins, Jackie Coelho, and Eliseu Bernardes got very little rest during the week of senior show. The group spent much of its free time practicing in the auditorium.

► Juniors Kim and Michelle Sagan, and Diane Castro, spend their weekends dancing with friends.



"I spend my weekends hanging out with my friends and having a good time."

-Todd Kiel '99



Signs of Rest

S't'u'd'e'n't's' R'e'l'a'x'i'n'g'

Life at Ludlow High school atmosphere diverse and interesting. Between classes students hurry through the halls, catching up with their friends and exchanging the latest news before rushing off to class. Even in class, students find inventive ways to stay amused, such as calculator games, last minute homework and the

On the weekends students can attend sporting events and other functions at the high school. Weekends are also a good time to catch up on sleep, party, and work part-time jobs.

Students use their many various talents to make the high



"I never really get a chance to relax in school," said senior Alisha Grass.

ever-popular form of expression—desk graffiti.



Seniors Michelle Carvalho and Nuno Valdegas relax on the senior lounge couch that mysteriously disappeared from the lounge sometime in February.

Alison Herchel catches up on her sleep on the bus ride to Boston on her junior class field trip. The class went on the December 3rd trip to see the play *Shear Madness*.

Seniors Jennifer Prior and Philip Vitorino laugh together during Mrs. Paula Bennett's Spanish class.





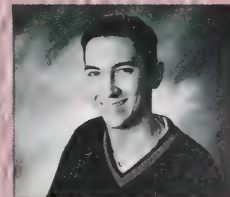
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Nicole Rodrigues



Tiffany Kapinos



Danny Oliveira

Senior Portraits

S`i`g`n`s` O`f` M`a`t`u`r`i`t`y`

Senior year is a very memorable and hectic time at Ludlow High School. Students are faced with the biggest decision of their lives. Yet, somehow, the seniors manage to pull together in the face of chaos. It is these chaotic events that will unite the class forever.

Events such as the last banquet and the prom make the year fun and memorable, but it is the Senior Show and mystery trip that truly bring the class together. The seniors have the opportunity through Senior Show not only to make new friendships, but also to renew older friendships. Students begin to form bonds with some classmates that they may not have talked to in years. The memories formed during this time will stay with the students for the rest of their lives.

Senior week brings a close to the student careers at the high school. At the Senior Assembly, seniors have a chance to reflect on past experiences, and the friendships they have forged. These experiences last the seniors a lifetime.



Khayyam Abdullah



Sumaiya Abdullah



Cindy Afonso



Nancy Almeida



Melinda Alves



Lenna Andre



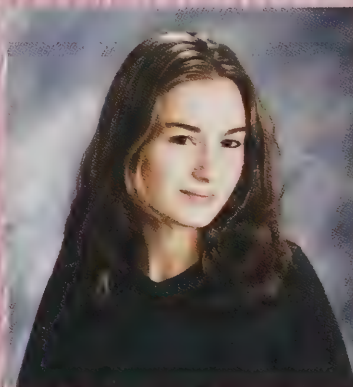
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Denise Anghilante



Amena Assaf



Jennifer Bailey



Ryan Bartolucci



Katie Bassette



Elizabethette Batista



Christie Bianchi



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Danielle Bowen



Stephen Bradley



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Mary Butler



Lindsay Calkins



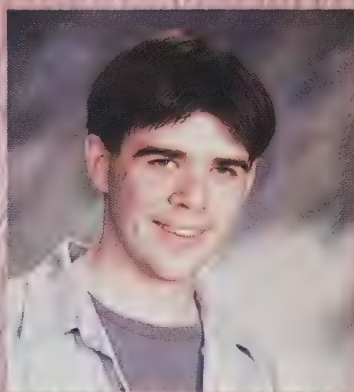
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Gina Carvalho



Michelle Carvalho



Peter Charpentier



Carlos Chaves



Elaine Chrzan



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Jacqueline Coelho



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Melissa Costa



Christopher Courchesne



Laura Croteau



Melissa Crowther



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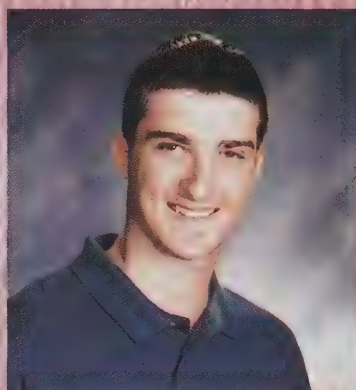
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Zelia Flores



Heather Fonseca



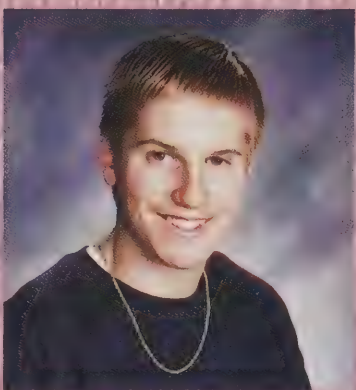
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Anne-Marie Forcum



Joshua Fuller



Renee Gagne



Jolene Galvin



Matthew Gardner



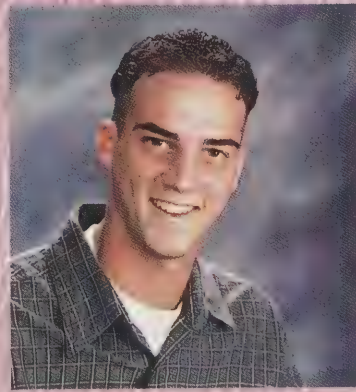
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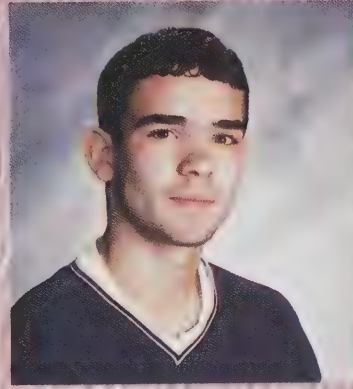
Matthew Glista



Cidalia Gomes



Ashlee Goncalves



Jose Goncalves



Lisa Goncalves



Susan Goncalves



Joshua Goodrow



Michelle Goodrow



Alisha Grass



John Gray



Melissa Hammel



Melanie Hastings



Melissa Hatch



John Havens



Jeffrey Henriques



Mark Honorio



Lisa Horton



Sarah Jaciow



Jennifer Jolivet



Justin Joyal



Antonio Juliano



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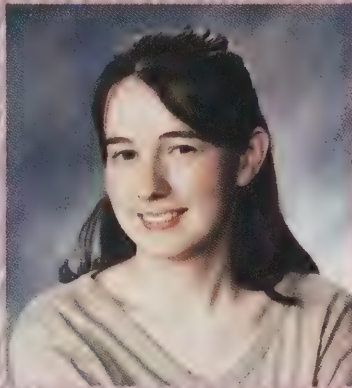
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Carlie Lavin



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Danielle Maruca



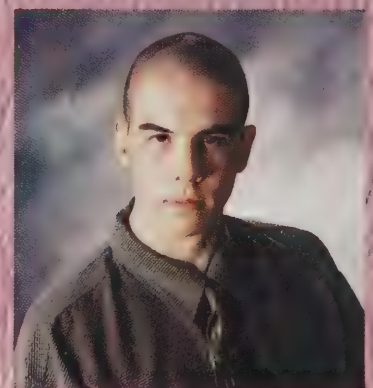
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Jeremy Matthes



Joshua Maynard



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Filipe Mendes



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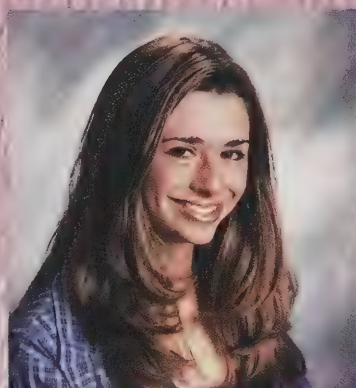
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Elizabeth Pereira



Maria Pereira



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Julianne Placzek



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Jennifer Prior



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Daniel Quiterio



David Quiterio



Sandra Ramalhete



Victoria Ribeiro



Christopher Riopel



Sean Riopel



Crystal Riopelle



Hilary Roberts



Justin Rodrigo



Nicole Rodrigues



Tracy Rodrigues



Melisa Rubbo



Rebecca Rustic



Christina Rys



Grace Sa



Launa Saleh



Jessica Salema



Christina Sanches



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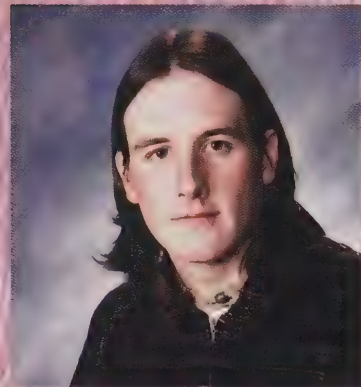
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Sarah St. Pierre



Jennifer Swist



Michael Talbot



Elizabeth Tavares



Nancy Teixeira



Jeffrey Tetrault



Tiffany Tetrault



Shannon Thomson



Angela Tiago



Aldina Torrao



Edward Urban



Nunó Valdegas



Robert Vice



David Vigliano



Dessire Vitorino



Philip Vitorino



Vanessa Wajdula



Lisa Wetherell



Theresa Widor



Jason Willis



Jennifer Wright



Andrew Wrona



Christopher Wrona



Belinda Zina

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Joseph Blanchard
Joseph Bottum
Megan Braska
Rebecca Bready
Eric Breen
Filipe Carreira
Steven Carroll
April Cyranowski
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Angelina Evans

Kenneth Gauthier
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David Teixeira
Isabel Teixeira
Marie Teixeira
Angela Teles
Kenneth Topham

Senior Executive Board

Front: Jennifer Prior, Heather Fonseca, Jennifer Bailey. **Middle:** Elaine Chrzan, Melinda Alves, Tiffany Santos. **Back:** Nicole Phaneuf, Nancy Teixeira, Michelle Melikian, Lenna Andre, Sean Riopel, Angela Tiago, Lindsay Calkins.

Class Officers

Treasurer- Jennifer Bailey, Secretary- Jennifer Prior, President- Heather Fonseca, Vice-President- Jason Juliano.



► Anatomy and physiology student Laura Crôteau receives instruction from Mr. Philip Dalessio during directed learning time.





Science class is made easier when you have teachers available to help, like Mr. Richard Kolodziey.



Dr. William Koscher constructs the famous freshman cathedral with his world civilization class.



Showing his pride for the soccer team, Mr. Antonio Goncalves points to one of the many trophy cases.



Mr. John O'Connor gestures to his history class to make the lesson easier to learn.

Faculty

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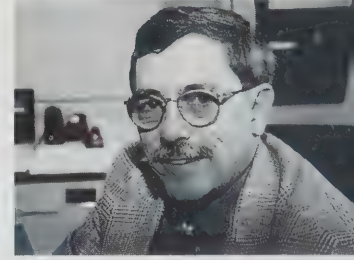
One of the signs of change at Ludlow High School occurred among the faculty. Some teachers retired, and some new ones joined the staff. Mr. Lawrence Holdsworth, Mrs. Miriam Clement, and Mr. Richard Malek all retired. Mrs. Mary-Beth Will became the new choral director. Mr. Mark Augusto joined the English department, and Mr. Donald Bennett joined the science department.

Despite the changes, the faculty remained as focused and dedicated as they have always been. Projects such as Dr. William Koscher's "cathedral" and Mrs. Frances Libiszewski's psychology soda bottle exercise remain old favorites. New activities such as the play-by-play recreation of *Oedipus Rex* in Mr. Augusto's class were also popular. Sr. Paulo Zina's Spanish fashion show was an innovative way to teach students Spanish. Mrs. Maureen Cotti's art class studied fruit labels at Randall's Farm and then designed their own.

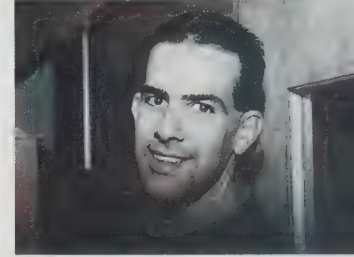
All of these activities help the students to learn and keep the students interested in the subjects they are learning. The faculty's dedication to the school community is what makes Ludlow High School the pleasant learning environment it is.

Faculty

James D. Cavallo
Principal
Toni-Marie Mancuso
Assistant Principal
James Richards
Director of Guidance



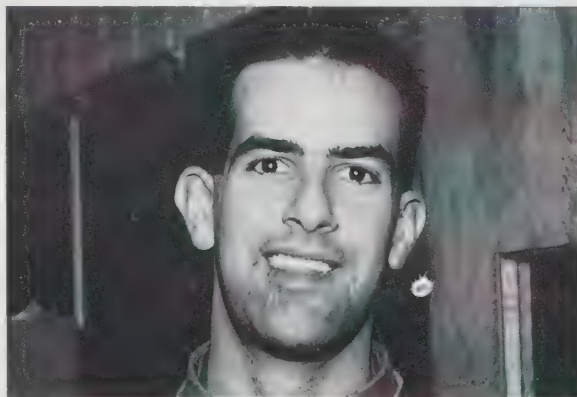
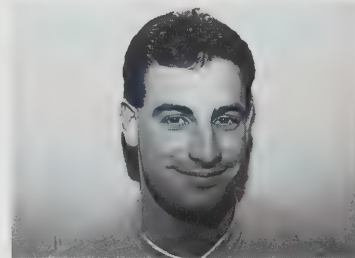
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Instructional Support Services
Carol Bardon
Family and Consumer Science
Donald Bennett
Science



Paula Bennett
World Languages
Timothy Brillo
Physical Education
Bernard Burns
Art



▲ Mr. Mark Augusto greets students outside of his English classroom. Mr. Augusto is well known for his friendly attitude within the school.

In his first year at LHS, Mr. Mark Augusto has brought with him creativity and imaginative teaching techniques. Some of his classes acted out famous plays like *Romeo and Juliet* and *Oedipus Rex*.

He also teaches students the life lessons they will need later. His senior English classes received lessons on how to write a resumé and to conduct a successful interview.

He is also willing to go the extra mile with his students. He is often seen after school offering future career advice and helping students with their college essays.



Brian Bylicki

Social Studies

John Carlin

Math

Corey Carr

Industrial Support Services

Aide



Joan Cavallo

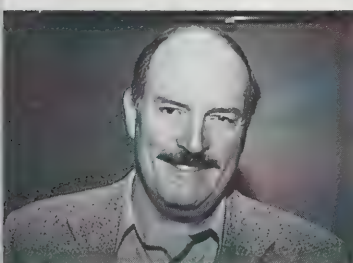
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Miriam Clement

Family and Consumer Science

Faye Clymer

Health



Leonard Charest

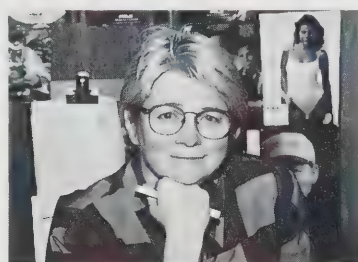
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Art

Richard Cotti

English



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English

Susan Dibble

English



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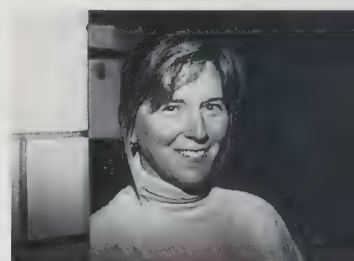
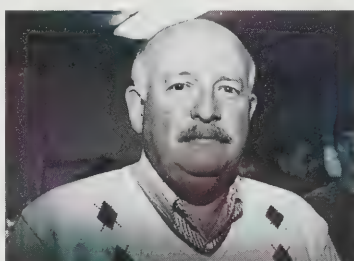
Social Studies

Robert Kuhn

Instrumental Music, Band

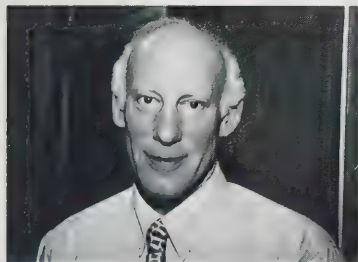
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Director of Health, Physical Education, Athletics, Family and Consumer Science

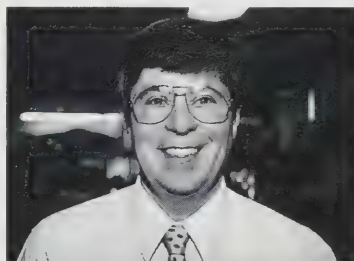


▲ Mr. Paulo Zina is also a modern teacher. He holds study sessions on America Online for his language students. This allows students with access to the internet the chance for extra help at home.

Mr. Paulo Zina, better known as Señor, is one of three advisors of the class of 1999 and brings a lot of fun ideas to the advisor pool. Señor Zina dedicated an immense amount of work and time to the senior show, as faculty advisor. He brings an exhilarating energy to his teaching, and inspires student to try their best while having fun. He is very involved in school activities and often chaperones class trips. Because of these qualities, students not only see him as a teacher, but because he is so in touch with the students, they also see him as a friend.



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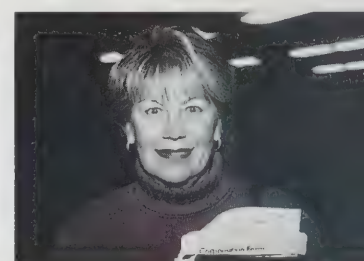
Business

Mary-Beth Will

Music

Carole Wojnarowski

Reading; English



▲ Miss Rebecca Uhler works with her class on step aerobics. This activity is one of the newest additions to the physical education program.

The physical education curriculum has been improved and is now headed in a new and exciting direction. Project Adventure has been implemented in the back gyms and includes a climbing wall, ropes, and a cargo net. Students can now choose the activities in which they want to participate. The new curriculum has an expansive variety of activities to choose from, including Tae-Bo, (a combination of Karate and aerobics), step aerobics, and line dancing. Although there are innovative changes in the physical education program, the traditional sports are still staples in the curriculum.



Raymond Yando

Mathematics

Paulo Zina

World Languages

Mary Jane Zywiak

Social Studies



Mrs. Carol Bardon chats with Mrs. Miriam Clement. Mrs. Bardon took over Mrs. Clement's job when she retired from the Family and Consumer Science Department.



Industrial Technology is a hands on class. Mr. Arthur Moses assists his student, sophomore Alex Portelada with his project.

Congratulations Class of 1999!



We celebrate your success!

LUDLOW EDUCATION ASSOCIATION

Changes in Administration

F`a`r`e`w`e`l`l` M`r.` C`a`v`a`l`l`o`

On June 30, 1999, Mr. James Cavallo walked the halls of Ludlow High for the last time as principal. In his thirty-six years at Ludlow, he spent seven as an English and economics teacher, and then 29 years as an administrator.

After years of interacting with many different people, he misses the bonds with students, teachers, and the community the most. Some of his greatest accomplishments include establishing the Honors and AP programs, and most recently



Demonstrating his involvement in student affairs, Mr. James Cavallo crowns Ashlee Goncalves prom queen.

citing the need for a new school building, which led to renovations.

Cavallo's future plans include staying active in education and making use of his leisure time.

Presently he is teaching an evening economics class at Springfield Technical Community College.

When asked if he had any words for the Class of 1999, Cavallo replied, "[You] have to stay focused... take advantage of your opportunities, especially in education."



During the groundbreaking ceremonies for renovations, Mr. Cavallo spoke to News 40. Adding to the building was a personal project that Mr. Cavallo knew was vital to education in Ludlow.

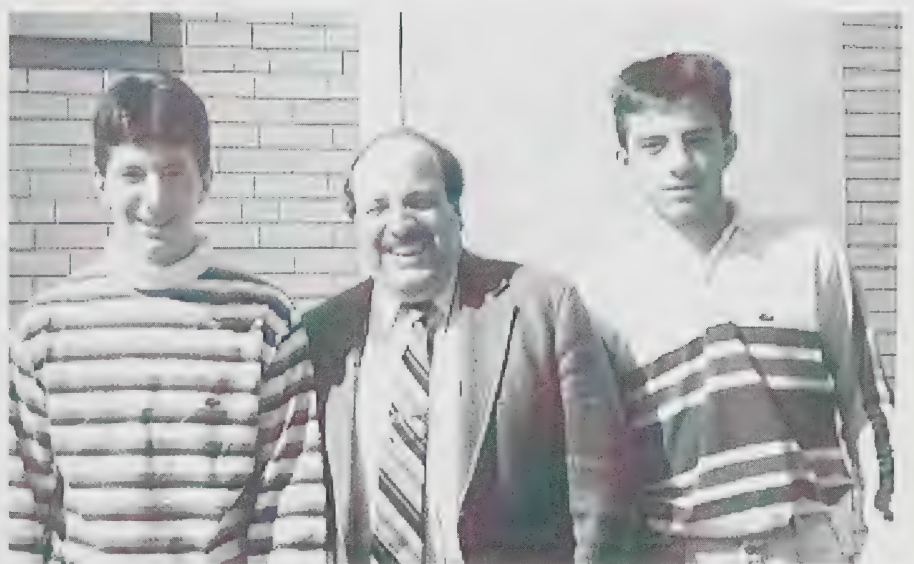


Mr. Cavallo shakes hands with 1991 graduate William Koss. Mr. Cavallo was well known for being close to his students and for knowing their names.



During graduation, Mr. Cavallo received a plaque from Vice-Principal Toni-Marie Mancuso. At its presentation, Cavallo received a standing ovation from the Class of 1999 for his years of service.

Mr. Cavallo was a popular teacher of economics. He is seen here in 1969 reading to one of his classes.



Mr. Cavallo stands outside of the school in 1991, with sons Chris and Jon. All four of Mr. Cavallo's sons graduated from Ludlow High School. Mr. Jon Cavallo is now a social studies teacher at Baird Middle School.

In 1969, Mr. Cavallo was the advisor for the senior show 'Together.'

► Sophomores show their school spirit during their banquet at the Polish American Club.





Filipe Mendes captures all of the action of his senior banquet on a video camera.



German exchange student Dominik Sieber relaxes at his junior banquet.



Dave Kenny, busts a move at the Homecoming semi-formal.



Leah Dyjak smiles sweetly at her senior banquet, held at the Colosseum.

Semi Formals

S'i'g'n's A'n'd L'i'g'h't's

The tradition of class banquets is one of the unifying aspects of life at Ludlow High. Class banquets are some of the most anticipated social events of the year. An individual's preparation for these events includes finding the perfect dress, snagging a snazzy suit, and of course breaking in dancing shoes. The class banquets provide students with a formal opportunity to interact with their classmates. They give the class officers the chance to plan an event by themselves.

Finding the right place for the event is crucial. This year's banquet sites included the newly renovated Ludlow Country Club, where the juniors enjoyed the beautiful view of fall foliage. The seniors had their banquet at the Colosseum in West Springfield, while the freshmen and sophomores stayed close to home at the Ludlow Polish Club. Food, music, dancing, and toilet paper games completed the evening.

Class banquets are great because you end up having fun with people in your class whom you normally might not hang around with. People end up getting along really well; a lot of the prejudices and stereotypes that exist in normal school life are forgotten when people get together for a big party like a

Moonlight in Paris

T`h`e` H`o`m`e`c`o`m`i`n`g` S`e`m`i`f`o`r`m`a`l`

The third annual Homecoming semiformal took place on Friday, November 20th. *The Cub* -sponsored event mirrored a night in Paris, complete with an 18ft. tall Eiffel Tower and an iridescent moon. The third and forth gymnasium were also decorated for the event and stocked with food for hungry students. Remaining true to the French theme, napoleons and a sheet of brownies with the French flag frosted on it



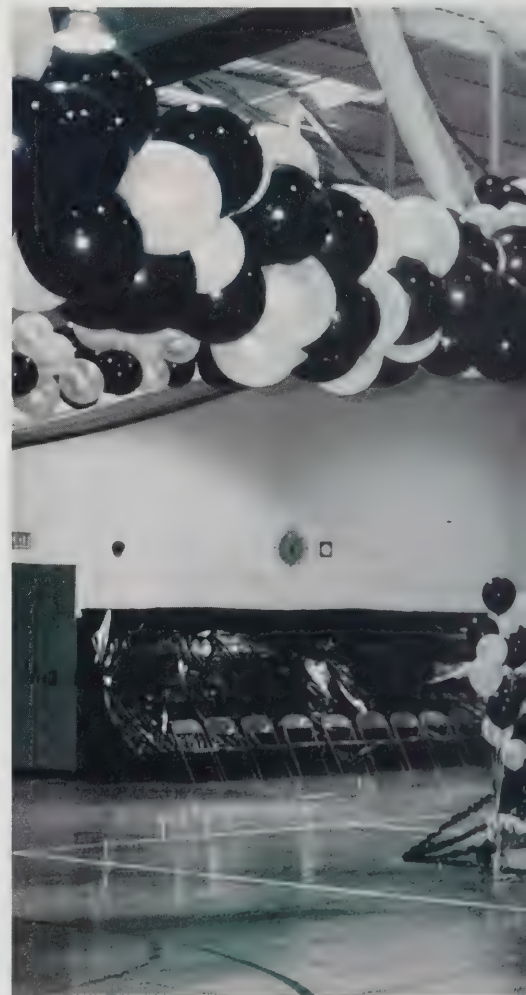
The balloon arch above the staircase was just one of the many attractions at the Homecoming.

were just some of the desserts available. The Greniers were also on hand to take pictures of groups and couples at the special event.

Those attending Homecoming voted for the queen and king of the event based on the criteria of a positive attitude and of school spirit. Seniors Heather Fonseca and Jason Martins reigned victorious and were crowned queen and king.



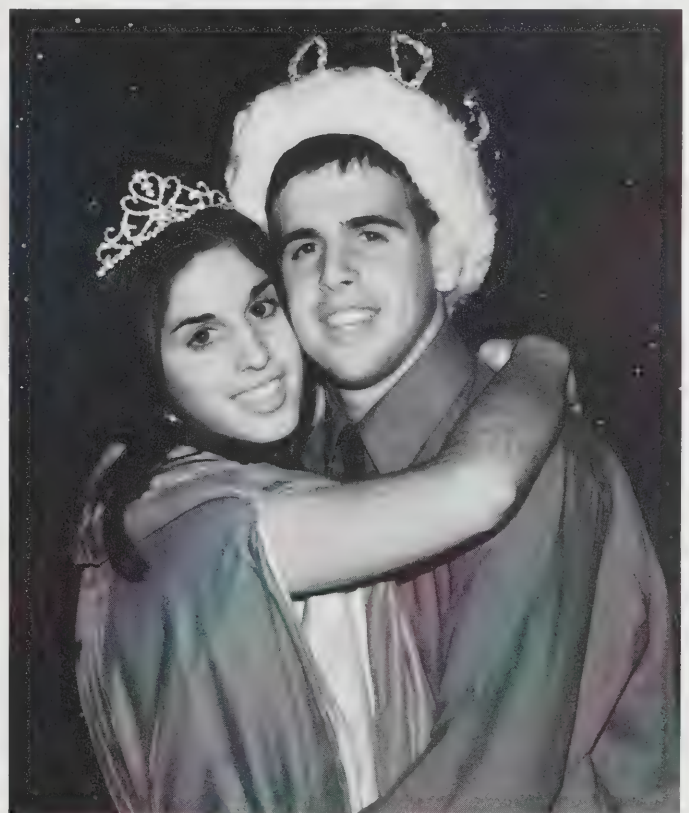
▲ The setup for Homecoming required many hours of work. *Cub* staffers Russell Tetreault, Darlene Pietrusinski, Dan Quiterio, and Jessica Yu blow up black and white balloons. The staff blew up nearly five thousand balloons for decorations.





◀ Sophomores Erin Fuller, Darcy McGrady, Anna Ventura, and Janelle Zick show off their various formal hairstyles. Some girls wore their hair in a trendy updo while others opted for the more casual look and let their locks flow.

▼ Juniors Kristen Ratkiewicz and Melissa Wood rest their tired feet on some chairs off to the side of the gymnasium.



▲ Seniors dominated the Homecoming court when both Heather Fonseca and Jason Martins were chosen. Both students are actively involved in school and are very spirited.

◀ The just-finished Eiffel Tower that served as the center-piece for the subsequent "moonlit" evening.

► Freshman girls Aislinn Emirzian, Crystal Brunton, Jennifer Quesnel, Allison Meuse, Lisa Phaneuf, and Stacy Lucas display their colorful Hawaiian leis.

▼ Freshman Elizabeth Andre and senior Carl Binette enjoy the music, provided by Dave Costa, at the freshman banquet.



▲ This group of "muscle men" show off their toned upper arms for the entire freshman class to see.



Winter in Hawaii

The Freshman Banquet

The freshman class of 2002 had its banquet at the Polish American Citizens Club from 5:30 PM to 10:30 PM. The theme that the class chose was Winter in Hawaii.

The event was catered by Tony and Penny's restaurant. The students were offered hors d'oeuvres, which were crackers and cheese, fresh vegetables, and chips



While girls wore dresses to the banquet a popular look for the boys was a dress shirt, tie, and tan or green khakis.

and dip. The dinner buffet that immediately followed included roasted chicken, baked lasagna, roast beef, oven roasted potatoes, vegetables, garden salad, fresh fruit salad, and rolls with butter. The music for the event was provided by D.J. Dave Costa. At the end of the night the banquet go-ers participated in a limbo competition that truly made the night memorable.



▲ Freshmen James Goodreau, Peter Milillo, Matthew Ribeiro, and sophomore Sean Knox fill up their plates at the buffet table. The freshmen had baked lasagna, roasted chicken and roast beef, catered by Tony and Penny's. Many students took advantage of the "all you can eat" style buffet and went up for multiple servings.

▲ The freshman class danced the night away at the Polish Club. The club was decorated in orange and yellow colors to resemble the bright Hawaiian sun.

New Year's Bash

The Sophomore Banquet

The sophomore banquet was held on January 9th at the Polish American Citizens Club from 7 to 11pm. The banquet was catered by Solmar Restaurant.

The sophomores dined on a buffet of roasted chicken, baked lasagna, roast beef, roasted potato, salad, and rolls. The food was set up in a family style buffet, so the students had plenty of food! For dessert, cherry cheesecake and napoleons were



Swing was just some of the different music that DJ Hard at Play provided for the juniors.

served to the students. The DJ for the banquet was from Hard at Play, and played for the students "Party Like It's 1999" and shot streamers and confetti onto the dance floor because of their banquet theme.

A touching incident occurred when the class dedicated the song "I'll Be" to their deceased classmate Elena Dmitriev. Dmitriev passed away around Christmas time in a car accident. "I'll Be" was her favorite song.



▲ A group of sophomore girls takes a break from their meal to smile for a picture. They enjoy their baked chicken and lasagna provided by Solmar Restaurant.





Dark and bright colors were popular this year for banquet attire. This group of sophomore ladies shows off its fashion sense during their banquet.

Jeff Laurin and Lisa Torres share a special moment at the Polish Club.

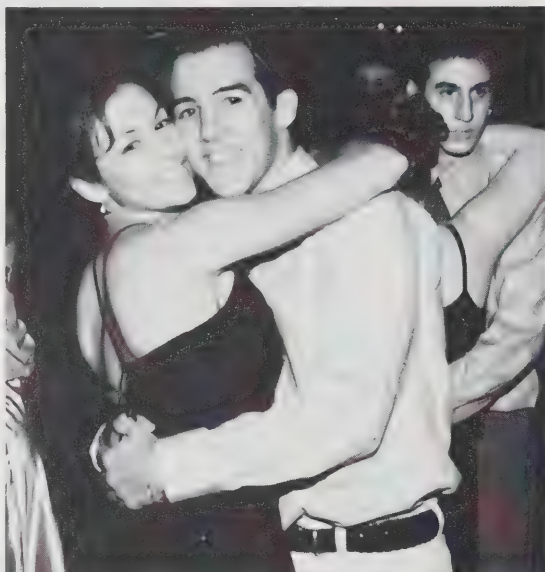


Gregory Gaudreau impresses his classmates with his stellar dance moves during his banquet.

Greg Haney, Stephanie Griffith, and Erin Fuller enjoy dancing with their classmates.

▶ Melissa Santos, Jessica Ribeiro, Jillian Moriarty, and Tina Palatino take a break from dancing to take some photographs.

▼ Sophomore Steve Jorge and junior Leanna Alves take a moment to enjoy the banquet. There were students of many grades that attended the banquet with their junior dates.



▲ Juniors Kelly Rosa and Diane Castro stand in front of the elaborately decorated banquet table. The table was trimmed with red satin and covered with fresh flowers, for a special touch.

▶ A group of juniors dance their way across the brand new dance floor at the Ludlow Country Club. The renovated club was wonderful, but many of the students complained of splinters when the night was over.



Seasons of Change

T'h'e' J'u'n'i'o'r' B'a'n'q'u'e't'

The junior class held its banquet "Seasons of Change" at the newly renovated Ludlow Country Club. The event which was held on October 24th from 5:30 to 10:30 was catered by Horizons. Dinner for the evening included baked scrod, meat lasagna, tortellini alfredo, rosemary garlic chicken, and tenderloin tips Marsala. In addition to this, fresh

fruit salad, garden salad, cheeses, mushroom and artichoke salad, and rice pilaf were also served.

The group was one of the first to use the Club, renovated to include new decor and a brand new dance floor. The juniors added their own personal touch to the banquet with a decorative swan ice sculpture. Music for the event was provided by Mark's Rolling Review.



This decorative swan ice sculpture was a personalized part of the junior banquet.



▲ Juniors Dan Saunders, Cassie Orszulak, and Sarah Vitorino pause for a moment within the beautifully renovated Country Club. The club was renovated during the summer and the juniors were one of the first groups to use the new facility.

Night Under the Stars

T'h'e S'eni'or B'an'q'u'e't

The class of 1999 held its banquet "Night Under the Stars" at The Colosseum Banquet House on Saturday, January 23. The students dined on French onion soup, followed by the main course of either prime rib, chicken, or vegetarian lasagna. Apple pie à la mode was served for dessert with choice of coffee or tea.

There were many episodes that helped to make the banquet



Jay Juliano demonstrates his famous "Humpty" dance. This was a favorite at the Senior Show.

memorable. Jason Juliano gave the senior class a sneak peak of his senior show skit by doing the "Humpty" dance. Trish Maggard also made the event memorable by singing "From This Moment On" by Shania Twain. Another highlight of the evening was the antics of the enthusiastic chaperones. Both Mr. Paulo Zina and Miss Rebecca Uhler danced the night away along side the students.

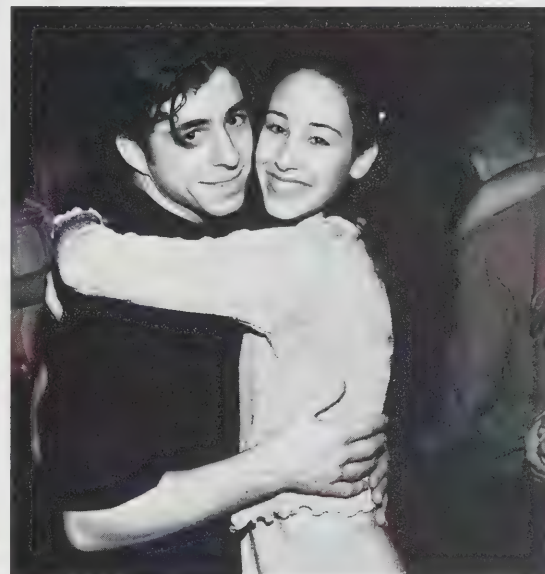


▲ Seniors Leora Martins, Elizabeth Pereira, Belinda Zina, Maria Pereira, and Nicole Rodrigues model the latest banquet fashions. Black was a popular banquet color as were reds and whites.



▼ Cídalía Faria, alumni Mark Vital, Carl Binette, Luke Hunter of Springfield, Melissa Costa, Grace Sa, and Tiffany Santos glance up at the balcony as they await their garden salads. This was one of the many courses that was served to the students.

▼ Seniors Ken Topham and Jessica Lafleur slow dance to music provided by Mark's Rolling Band Review.



▲▲ Mr. Paulo Zina and Miss Rebecca Uhler show off their dance moves on the balcony of The Colosseum. Shortly after this picture was taken, the two chaperones got into trouble with the restaurant management for dancing in an area that was restricted.

▼ The senior class spent the night dancing. Unfortunately, the dancers had to avoid the toilet paper that was left on the floor from the games.

► **Junior Court** *Front:* Mia Cabana, Princess Laura Momnie, Alison Herchel. *Back:* Jon Witowski, Prince Dan Saunders, Jay DaCruz.

▼ Prom King Jason Juliano, and Prom Queen Ashlee Goncalves dance to the song "What a Wonderful World" by Louis Armstrong. Both the junior and senior courts were asked to dance to the song after the winners were announced.



▲ Mrs. Sue Phelon and some of her family development class students had a group photo taken by Greniers. Some of the dress styles for the prom were light pastel colors, while some were the more traditional black. The girls in the photo wear many of the popular styles seen at the event.



Party Like It's 1999

T'h'e' J'u'n'i'o'r' / S'e'n'i'o'r' P'r'o'm'

Changes were evident at the junior/senior prom on May 7th. The first change was the location of the event. Rather than being held at Chez Josef, the prom "Party Like It's 1999" was held at the Sheraton in Springfield.

The students arrived at the event at 6:30 pm for the social hour. The students then sat down to a choice of chicken, beef, or pasta primavera. Meals also came with

twice baked potatoes and steamed vegetables.

Another change was within the format of the choice for prom court. This year students were nominated with the qualifications of a positive attitude, a good role model, involved in school, and an enthusiastic student. Top nominees from each grade were then introduced and narrowed down.



Prom Prince Dan Saunders embraces Princess Laura Momnie who cried tears of joy when her name was announced.



▲ **Senior Court** Front: Melissa Hammel, Queen Ashlee Goncalves, Angela Tiago. Back: Dan Quiterio, King Jason Juliano, Chris Courchesne.

▲ Seniors Jennifer Dion and Lisa Horton dance the night away to music supplied by Mark's Rolling Band Review. One of the popular songs of the night was the theme of the prom "Party Like It's 1999" by Prince.

► Sophomores Kendra Lebel and Robert Driscoll work diligently on their projects in Mr. Bernard Burr's Ceramics class. Electives are a favorite for students of all grades.

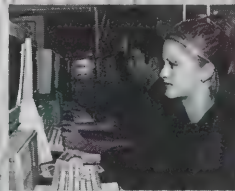




Freshman Sarah Courchesne traces her pattern onto fabric in her Clothing I class.



Junior Jeff Braz receives help in the Guidance office from Mrs. Dorothy Chrzan.



Junior Nicole Brunton stares at the screen of her computer in her word processing class.



Juniors Nick Barron and Steve Karalekas construct a masterpiece in their shop class.

Underclassmen

C`h`a`n`g`i`n`g` G`r`a`d`e`s`

With all of the craziness of senior year, and the emphasis placed on preparing seniors for the future, underclassmen can often feel lost in the shuffle. Out of main focus, underclassmen are accomplishing great things in their own lives and in their lives in school. They keep the spirit of the school alive, carry on traditions, and bring with them new energy.

Over the years each class undergoes changes of its own. Juniors open their eyes to what lies beyond high school. They take on the challenge of SATs, college decisions, and becoming role models for the school. Their trials and tribulations throughout the year help to bring them closer together.

Sophomores are just beginning to enjoy not being the youngest class in the school. They are looking forward to their years as upperclassmen, more actively participating in school activities, and starting the process of getting their driver's licenses.

Freshmen are undergoing great changes. They have just finished the transition from junior high to high school and are looking up to seniors as role models for their upcoming years. They are facing major changes and challenges that they never knew before.

All of these classes show signs of growth and progress as they are moving on, learning and preparing for changes to come.

Juniors

Christopher Almeida
Jennifer Almeida
Michael Almeida
Sabrina Almodovar
Carla Alves
Leana Alves
Lora Alves



Ronald Antaya
Ricardo Antunes
Anne-Marie Archambo
Kimberly Askew
Lauren Auffrey
Christina Barbeau
Nicholas Barron



Scott Barrus
Elizabeth Barry
George Bastos
Suzette Batista
Carlee Belliveau
Mark Bento
Wesley Benware



Ashley Bilodeau
Kori Binette
Matthew Boisvert
Joseph Boulanger
Marcy Bousquet
Richard Bradway
Jeffrey Braz



Alycia Brouillard
Ashley Bruneau
Justin Bruneau
Nicole Brunton
Mia Cabana
Tara Calento
Lynsey Calheno



Dario Camacho
Nancy Casillas
Rebecca Chapin
Jason Chelo
Jason Coddling
Katherine Coelho
Richard Cokotis



Junior Class Officers

The junior executive board was faced with a busy year in 1999. The board planned the prom, Senior Assembly, and the Big Brother/Sister program in addition to the class trips and banquet. The careful planning by President Matthew Leal, Vice-president

Diane Castro, Treasurer Michelle Sagan, and Secretary Kim Sagan paid off. They were aided by advisors Mr. Leonard Charest, Mrs. Frances Libiszewski, and Mrs. Patricia Roberts. Deadlines were met and good times were had throughout the year.



Juniors



Matthew Condon
Krystal Correia
Jeremy Costa
Jennifer Crespo
Kevin Crespo
Cliff DaCruz
Jason DaCruz

Jesse Danek
Justin Dansereau
David DaSilva
Alissa DeCaro
James Deslaurier
Ryan Devine
Christopher Dias

David Dias
Jonathan Dias
Timothy Dias
Melissa Dominique
Daniel Dos Reis
Andrew Doucet
Nathan Dubosh

Derek Edgar
Nicholas Fales
Paulo Faria
Shawn Farnsworth
Brian Ferreira
Alicia Fidalgo
Maliza Figueiredo

Derek Finnerty
David Fonseca
Michelle Ford
Diane Fraga
Edward Fuller
David Ganhao
Danielle Garbarino

Camilo Gavia
Lisa Gendreau
Jennifer Genovevo
Jennifer Germain
Justin Giroux
Isabel Gomes
Mark Gomes

◀ Juniors Sandra Quiterio and Melissa Melcher laugh and enjoy themselves at the banquet.

▼ A group of juniors slow dance at their banquet held at the Ludlow Country Club.



▼ Junior class officers Treasurer Michelle Sagan, President Matt Leal, Vice-president Diane Castro, Secretary Kim Sagan.



Juniors

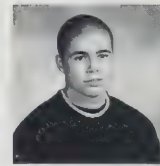
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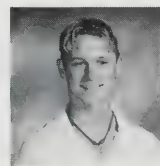
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Sue Ann Jessmer
Gabriel Joao
Stephen Karalekas



Tomasz Karas
David Kenny
Michelle Kimicki
Katie Knowles
Katarzyna Kopacz
Adam Kulas
Shruti Kulkarni



Christopher Labaj
Carrie LaPointe
Kelli LaRiviere
Jason Lavoie
Lauren Lavoie
Brandi Lawrence
Matthew Leal



Andrew Leonezyk
Heather Leroux
James Lincoln
Katrina Liszka
John Luscz
Ana Machado
Susan Machado



Mr. Arthur Moses, sophomore Dan Nichols, and junior Dave Stinson work on a project in metal shop.



Junior Doug Lawrence, freshman Mark Byrne, and senior Nick Gates display their musical talent on the trumpet during band class.

Juniors Kelli Lariviere and Tina Palatino measure substances during their Chemistry class.



Juniors



Alyson Maello
Jocelyn Maksymiw
Christine Marques
Susana Marques
Scott Martell
Lisa Martin
Matthew Martin

Cliff Mateus
Melissa Mateus
Jennifer A. Matthes
Jennifer L. Matthes
Ryan McCarthy
Melissa Melcher
Abimael Mestre

Melissa Methot
Samantha Michalczyk
Laura Momnie
Jillian Moriarty
Leonard Mosca
Jerid Nelson
Kari O'Shaughnessy

Haley Ogden
Cassandra Orszulak
Kerri Padgett
Tina Palatino
Tanya Panek
Timothy Pazos
Leanne Peacey

Jason Pease
Christopher Penna
Danny Pereira
Sonia Periera
David Perham
Sherry Petherick
Jessica Piesz

Dmitry Privedenyuk
Derek Provost
Sandra Quiterio
Lori Randall
Kristin Ratkiewicz
John Reilly
Isabel Ribeiro

Choosing Classes

Electives are a favorite among many students in the high school. They allow students to pursue interests that could be used for their future. Many students take an elective on as their sixth class in order to fit it into their schedule.

Some electives that are available to the students in the

high school are computer science, word processing, sewing, metal and wood shop, band and music classes, and journalism. These electives often develop into after-school activities and eventually careers.



Juniors

Jessica Ribeiro
Stephen Ricardi
Michael Robar
Nichole Robitaille
Mark Robleto
Julie Rodriguez
Kelly Rosa



Kimberly Sagan
Michelle Sagan
Leah Saloio
Ryan Salvador
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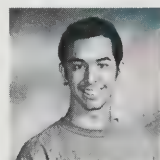
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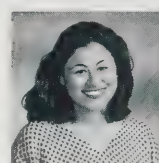
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Brett Smith
Keith Smith
Derek Smolinski



Lisa Sorenson
Elizabeth Sousa
David Stinson
Deborah Tarsa
Marco Tavares
Emily Taylor
Michael Theriaque



Mark Tiago
Andrew Topham
Lisa Torres
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Lucinda Vega
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Audrey Vilaca



Passing in the Hallway

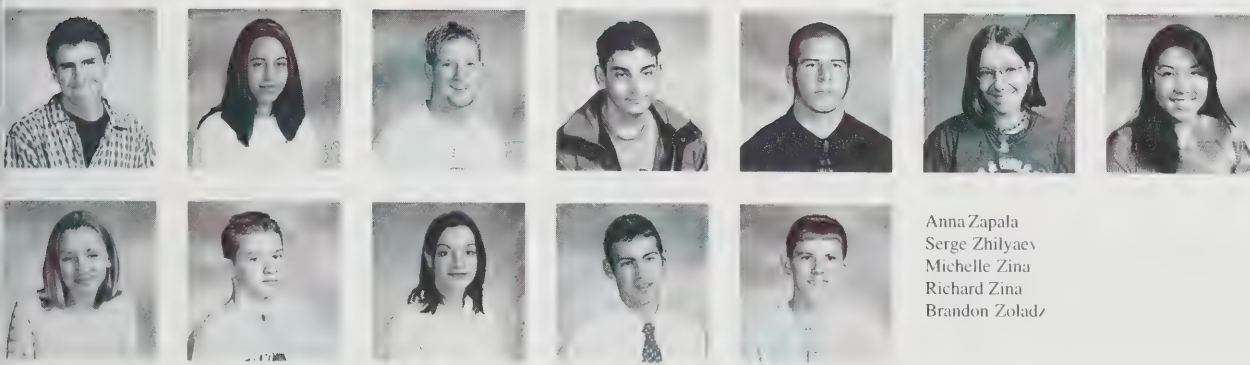
Students walking through the hallway are rarely seen without a large purple pass to accompany them. These passes are given out by teachers to students in order to go to the bathroom, library, or a variety of other places during class time.

These passes are a new

addition to the school and are beginning to replace the traditional paper passes. Many students dislike the passes claiming they are a hassle. Yet, if students are found without the pass in the hallways, the students will receive detention.



Juniors



Matthew Vitorino
Sarah Vitorino
David Vooris
Evan Whiting
Jonathan Witowski
Melissa Wood
Jessica Yu

Anna Zapala
Serge Zhilyaev
Michelle Zina
Richard Zina
Brandon Zoladz

Camera Shy

Michael Barrett
Amanda Jo Bilodeau
Steven Bramlett
Robert Byrne
Diane Castro
Sean Houlihan

Jeremy James
Andrew Levesque
Jeremy MacDonald
Alise Marques
Heriberto Matta
Sandra Salvador

▼ Freshman Stacy Lucas and juniors Lora Alves and Bobbi-Lynn Gregory work diligently at their job as athletic aides.



▼ At their banquet, juniors Kim Sagan and Sarah Vitorino enjoy the music which was provided by Mark's Rolling Band Review.



◀ Freshman Amie Costigan stops at the top of the stairs in the math hallway before heading to her next class.

▼ The hallways are a busy place during passing time. These students try to fight through the crowd to get to their next class.



▼ Language teacher Mr. Paulo Zina passes in the hallway on the way to his classroom.



Sophomores

Matthew Abrena
Paulo Afonso
Scotty Afonso
Ivan Aguilar
Anthony Albano
Wendy Alexander
Jamie Assaf



Nicholas Axiotis
Alison Barron
Filipe Barroso
Natalie Barroso
Jennifer Barry
Jacob Belanger
Edward Belben



Stephanie Bennet
Monica Bettencourt
Hollie Ann Betters
Anthony Bigda
Jeremy Bigos
Jessariah Bilodeau
Jessica Bonzek



Julia Bottum
Hayley Braz
Monica Budrow
Allison Butler
Diana Canelas
James Cardaropoli
Cristina Carreira



Dennis Carroll
Dennis Carvalho
Filomena Carvalho
Valerie Cave
Ashley Ceberek
Ryan Charpentier
Nicole Chaves



Christopher Chelo
Raymond Cheria
Brian Cochenour
Justin Colby
Olga Couto
Sonia Couto
Rachel Cunha



▼ Sophomore class officers: Treasurer Jennifer Jorge, Secretary Lindsay Robillard, Vice-president Joanne Wozniak, President Lisete Simoes.



▼ Sophomores Dennis Carvalho, Dave Miranda, Steve Jorge, Diane Gomes, and Paul Martins listen intently to their Portuguese lesson.

► Sophomores Sarah Russell, Vanessa Manuel, and Jessica Machado relax during class time.



Sophomores



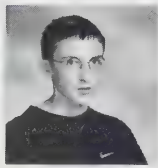
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Elena Dmitriev
Shannon Doherty
Justin Dolley



Sarah Dominique
Jenna Doty
Jaqueline Doucet
Robert Driscoll
Jillian Dube
Andrew DuFresne
Eileen Dunfield



Elizabeth Dyjak
Ethan Emirzian
Nancy Eugenio
Christopher Fernandes
Daniel Fernandes
Cassandra Ferreira
Cristina Ferreira



Kelly Ferreira
Lisa Ferreira
Sergio Figueiredo
Fernando Flores
Kristin Fortune
Erin Beth Fuller
Sara Fulton



Gregory Gaudreau
Katilyn Gaudreau
Rosemary Gaudreau
Raymond Gazaille
Amber Geagan
Nicole Gebo
Frederick Glanville



Sophomore Class Officers

With a year of experience under their belts, the sophomore class officers began their second year planning class events. This year the president of the class was Lisete Simoes, the vice-president was Joanne Wosniak, the treasurer was Jennifer Jorge, and the

secretary was Lindsay Robillard.

The officers planned both the class banquet and the class field trip very successfully. The class went to the Polish American Club in Ludlow for its class banquet, and for its field trip they traveled to the Bronx Zoo.

Sophomores

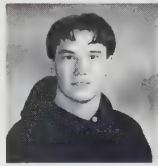
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Amie Grimshaw
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Lindsay Haluch
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Evan Hiersche
Lynn Hudyka
Joseph Iwasinski
Jennifer Jorge
Joseph Jorge



Melissa Jorge
Steve Jorge
Ryan Jurkowski
John Kania
Jason Kaytra
Delilah Kennedy
Gregory King



Michael King
Sean Knox
Edyta Kopacz
Jill Krystofik
Danielle LaBelle-Boucher
William LaBelle-Boucher
Elsa Lage



Jacob Lagerstrom
Kelly Lamas
Alethea Lambert
Jeffrey Laurin
Douglas Lawrence
Brianna Leary
Kendra Lebel



Heather Lelievre
Travis Lemke
Michael Lessard
Angela Lewinski
Benjamin Libbey
Michael Linton
Kara Livingston



Changing Fashions

The fashions that were worn by students this year varied from person to person, and changed from season to season. Some students dressed nicely in skirts or dresses, while others wore pajama bottoms and tee shirts with various bands on them.

Ties were a traditional

dress accessory with boys this year. Some popular styles were plaids, stripes, and even cartoon characters. Some of the accessories that were popular with the girls were butterfly hair clips and jewelry. Purple and green nail polish were also popular.



Sophomores

							<p>Frank Lopes Alexandra Lopez Katrina Louviitakis Joel MacDonald Angela Machado Jessica Machado Richard Machado</p>
							<p>Brandon Mackenzie Jason Mancuso Vanessa Manuel Daniel Marques Paulo Martins Darcie McGrady Kara Michon</p>
							<p>David Miranda Jessica Moore Shauna Moore Christopher Moreno Erin Murphy Michael Murray Cristina Nascimento</p>
							<p>Daniel Nichols Patricia Norris Heather O'Connell Richard Ordynowicz Patrick Padgett David Padykula Nicole Papia</p>
							<p>Kayla Pease Aimee Pelletier Ana Rita Pereira Carlos Pereira Gregory Perreault Justin Pestana Magdalena Piascik</p>
							<p>Leontino Picuch Darlene Pietrusinski Michael Pio Aderito Pires Helder Pires Alexandre Portelada Laura Pronovost</p>

▼ Freshman Erin LaBonte styles her hair using the popular butterfly clips.

◀ Juniors Danielle Garbarino, Gina Scagliarini, and sophomore Ashley Ceberek model their baseball caps. These are a popular accessory for both boys and girls.



▼ Freshman Chris Zapala wears the popular tee-shirt.



Sophomores

Andre Queiroga
Jennifer Rego
Lindsay Robillard
Nicholas Rock
Derek Rodrigues
Filipa Rodrigues
Philip Rodrigues



Brian Rogowski
Timothy Romansky
Jennifer Rubbo
Sarah Russell
Jonathan Sajdak
Acacio Sanches
Lauren Santaniello



Angela Santos
Stephanie Santos
Tina Santos
Christopher Santucci
Gina Scagliarini
Milena Sebastiao
Lisete Simoes



Lori Smolinski
Carlo Soares
Fred Sousa
Eric Sullivan
Philip Surprenant
Luis Surreira
Tara Talbot



Lisa Tereso
Alfred Tetreault
Katelyn Thompson
Randi Vancott
Ana Rita Ventura
Stephanie Villeneuve
Jessica Vital



Alexei Vologzhanin
Kara Williamson
Joanna Wozniak
Courtney Yee
Janelle Zick



▼ Mrs. Clymer's C block health class quickly takes notes on the slides that they are shown.



▼ Sophomore Jessica Moore explains a difficult biology problem to her partner Kelly Lamas.

▶ Sophomores Dan Fernandes and Brian Rogowski study together for their biology class.



Sophomores

Camera Shy

Jonathan Bickel	Arthur Hill
Elizabeth DaSilva	Holly McNamee
Ann Marie Garcia	Sandra Sousa
Jessica Gaudreau	Luis Teixeira



◀ Sophomores Melissa Jorge, Elizabeth DaSilva, Amber Geagan, Kelly Ferreira, and Jennifer Jorge take a break from the action for just one more picture.

◀◀ Sophomore Sarah Russell and her Homecoming date Matt Long from Longmeadow enjoy the decorations in the gymnasium.

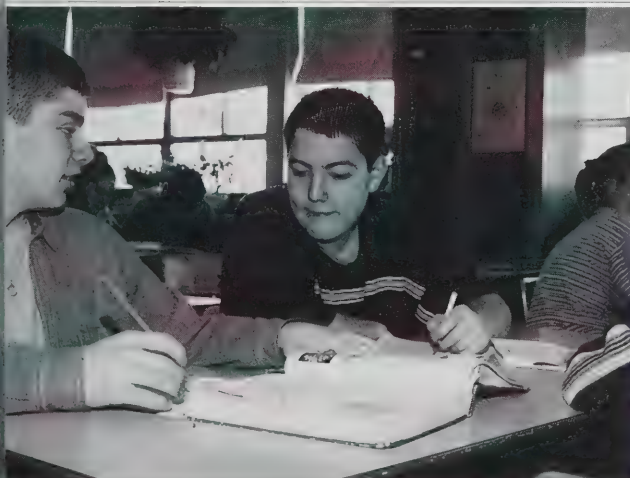
◀ A group of sophomores dance the night away at the banquet.



Signs of Study

Studying and others rely on studying with partners or in groups. Other homework are major parts of the lives of most students. And each student has a different way of studying for the all important test or quiz that is scheduled to be given. Some conscientious students begin studying weeks in advance, while others rely on studying with partners or in groups. Other less-prepared students procrastinate and study while they are in class. Others rely on popular methods such as osmosis and memorization.

One way or another, the students manage to take the test that is administered.



Freshmen

Holly Abair
Jason Abair
Michael Abbow
Brent Allen
Leanne Almeida
Anthony Alvaro
Bryan Alves



Lisa Alves
Elizabeth Andre
Lisa Andre
Joseph Archambo
Kristine Axiotis
Courtney Babian
Jessica Babinski



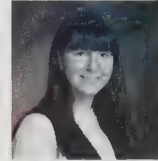
Joel Baillargeon
Kimberly Balding
Michael Balog
Jessica Barbeau
Kristen Barone
Kristine Barron
Elizabeth Barros



Lucia Barroso
Nichole Bassette
Susana Bastos
Mark Bates
Jennifer Belanger
Christopher Bernardo
Erica Betters



Lee Betters
Deana Birch
Sarah Bocon
Katherine Bourdeau
Denise Bradway
Kenneth Bramlett
Jill Bramucci



Crystal Brunton
Cecile Bryant
Mark Buckley
Stephanie Burr
Mark Byrne
Nathan Cabana
Domingas Calvao



Freshman Class Government

The freshman class made its first year of school a success.

The class elections occurred during the beginning of the year, and the officers were chosen. Joel Baillargeon was elected president, Noel Petrolati, vice-president, Karen Hammel, treasurer, and

Jill Bramucci, secretary. They were assisted by advisors Mrs. Michelle Masse and Mr. Martin Fanning.

The class had its first banquet at the Polish Club in Ludlow and the event was entitled "Winter in Hawaii."



Freshmen

							Michael Cardin Elizabete Carreira Adam Cassamasse James Ceberek Amy Chase James Chenier Keith Chretien
							David Cioch Joseph Coddling Michelle Colson Carolyn Condon Deon Cordero Lori Costa Amie Costigan
							Sara Courchesne Elizabeth Crafts Shannon Curtin Jill Dannay Heather DeGray Steven Deptula Bethany Desrosiers
							Heather DeWolf Christopher Dias Eric Dias Joseph Dias Michael Diotalevi Bruno Duarte Jason Duarte
							Katrena Dunlevy Christopher Elias Aislinn Emirzian Brian Evans Seth Falconer Daniel Faria Vanessa Ferreira
							Jacqueline Foley Chandel Forgette Dominic Fortini Kathryn Freeman Anna Gadziala Nicholas Gagne Steven Gagnon

▼ Freshman class officers: president Joel Baillargeron, Vice-president Noel Petrolati, Treasurer Karen Hammel, Secretary Jill Bramucci.

▲ Freshmen Kristine Miele, Tiffany Morton, and Gillian Sorenson enjoy their first banquet.

▼ Freshman Nate Cabana and friends select from the buffet. Food for the event was provided by Tony and Penny's.



Freshmen

Valerie Garcia
Meghan Gardner
Kyle Gauthier
Emily Geanacopoulos
Jolie Glanville
Kristine Goncalves
Leslie Goncalves



Michelle Goncalves
James Goodreau
Melissa Goodrow
Dennis Gove
Trevor Grimm
Karen Hammel
Elizabeth Hangasky



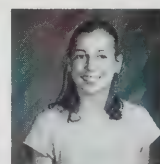
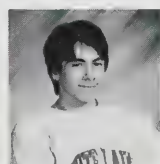
Michael Hastings
Sara Hatch
James Herchel
Matthew Hill
Mathew Hnatow
Amanda Howard
Kristin Joyal



Szymon Kafilinski
Patrick Karalekas
Eric Kellogg
Clarke Kennedy
Jason Kenny
Kevin Keough
Katarzyna Konopko



Brent Kowal
Robert Kukla
Erin LaBonte
Ryan Lafleur
Scott Lamondia
Amber Lamontagne
Meagan Lampron



Derek Langevin
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Matthew Levesque
Kerri Line
Ryan Linton
Kimberly Longo



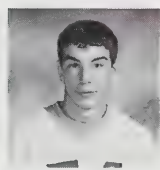
▼ Freshmen Sarah Rustie and Katie Bourdeau cheer on their softball team.



▼ Freshman Karen Hammel participates in Student Council's Personal Servant Day. She was purchased by senior Tiffany Santos, and as a duty she was told to make snow angels in the hallway during passing time.



Freshmen



Stephen Lopez
Jodi Lucas
Stacy Lucas
Arrika Lucek
Brett Mackenzie
Scott Mahoney
Jonathan Majgier



Ryan Malone
Heidi Mariani
Ashley Marof
Mark Martell
Kristen Martin
Danny Martins
Edgar Martins



Michael Martins
Crystal Mateus
Jennifer Mateus
Douglas McCarthy
Jeffrey McCauley
Jennifer McGahee
Sarah McGrath



Mark Medina
Alexandre Mendes
Jennifer Messier
Allison Meuse
Kristine Miele
Peter Milillo
Lauren Mislak



Matthew Mol
Nicholas Mol
Alyssa Momnie
Grant Moran
Jack Morques
Tiffany Morton
Marissa Mulveyhill



Jodi Nascimento
David Navarro
Angela Nunes
Robert O'Connell
Michelle O'Rourke
Elizabeth Ouimette
Deanna Padilla

▼ Sports players have both dedication and school spirit. Sophomores Lindsay Haluch and Sarah Davis demonstrate this by their cheerful attitude in spite of the cold fall soccer game.



Signs of Spirit

School spirit is a quality that is common in many Ludlow High School students. Whether it is sports, activities, or classroom time, Ludlow students let their school pride shine through.

Students participated in many events this year to

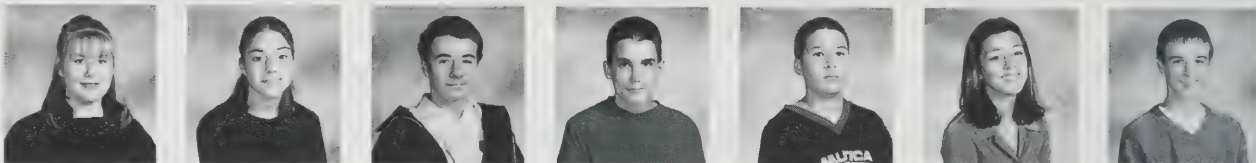
show their spirit. They attended both pep rallies and games in order to support their sports teams and ensure their success. The students also participated in Personal Servants Day and the blood drive, both of which were sponsored by the Student Council.

Freshmen

Lindsey Palatino
Matthew Papia
Carl Parylak
Jennifer Pazos
Ryan Peacey
Mathew Pereira
Noel Petrolati



Kimberly Pettengill
Lisa Phaneuf
Daniel Piascik
Joseph Pieczarka
Michael Pires
Vanessa Pires
Randy Placzek



Rebecca Pollard
Laura Pouliot
Artyom Privedenyuk
Jennifer Quesnel
Matthew Quigley
Melissa Quiterio
Marissa Rakouskas



Laurie Ratkiewicz
Matthew Ribeiro
Katie Rich
Daniel Roberts
Nicole Robleto
Suzanne Rodrigues
Stephanie Rosa



Greg Rozkuszka
Jennifer Russell
Sarah Rustic
Derek Salema
Chalimar Sanchez
Dionisio Santos
Richard Santos



David Saraiva
Leigh-Ann Sarrasin
Kathryne Scyocurka
Christopher Searles
Diane Serrazina
Joesph Shanley
Patricia Silva



Signs of Friendship

Friendship is one of the intangible factors that exists in Ludlow High School. You cannot see it in the trophy cases, it doesn't rest on the shelves of the library, and there are no equations about it on blackboards. But it is one of the most important parts of life at Ludlow High.

The smiles in between classes, the patience that students show when they help each other with assignments, and the respect that is shown by students and faculty alike make Ludlow High School one of the friendliest places around.

▼ Juniors Laura Momnie and Tina Palatino prove that friends often have fun together.



Freshmen



Robert Silva
Eric Slora
Justin Soja
Gillian Sorenson
Kathleen Sousa
Fallon Standen
Cameron Stanuch

April Starbard
Allen Stefanowich
Samantha Stefanowich
Ryan Stephenson
Melissa Supezak
Cristine Swenty
Brian Tetrault

Dennis Twining
Nicholas Vantangoli
Madelyn Vasquez
Jared Venne
Jaelyn Vilaca
Christopher Vital
Christopher Warwick

Alex White
Michael Whiting
Joshua Whitworth
Thomas Wine
Pamela Wright
Shannon Yelinek
Christopher Yu

Christopher Zapala
Jessica Zina

Camera Shy

America Canales
Serena Chenaille
Anthony Ciotto
Nicholas Franck
Brock Gaspar

Robert Lamay
Jack Marques
Shauna Moore
Alexandra Psilos

▶ Good friends Lauren Auffrey and Angela Goncalves relax in Mr. O'Connor's room.

▼ Sophomores Alexandra Lopez and Nancy Eugenio prove that friends can study together as well as have fun.



► Christie Bianchi and David Guerra are the artists of "The Asian Temple" mural, which can be found outside of Mr. Brian Bylicki's classroom. This mural is one of many that may be lost due to renovations.





1999 Yearbook editor, Melissa Hammel smiles with relief after meeting her deadline.



President of S.A.D.D., Brent Bonzek, is caught "goofing around" with Mike Ostrowski.



Captain Midnight, Jill Nascimento. Shows off her style on Personal Servants Day.



President of Student Council, Jennifer Bailey, makes a new friend during a class trip.

Clubs and Organizations

S`i`g`n`i`n`g` U`p`

Every day at 1:55, as most students rush to their cars and busses, a whole new day begins for those students who are involved in after school activities. Various club meetings can be heard throughout the school.

Everywhere are signs of politics, creativity, and ambition. In Mr. John O'Connor's room the debate team is in the midst of a heated discussion. Just around the corner the tapping of keyboards and the droning of the printer indicates that The Cub staff is racing to meet its deadline. Down in the basement, or "the dungeon," as Mr. Brian Bylicki calls it, the Student Council is meeting to discuss school issues. At the opposite end of the school, music is emanating from the band and choir rooms. Throughout the school are signs of beauty displayed through the murals on the wall. Some have been recently painted, while others have been left as legacies from the past. Every day signs of life can be found in the school long after the final bell rings.

As Schools
Match Wits

Front: Samantha Dias, Philip Vitorino.
Back: Matthew Leal, Jonathan Dias, Jennifer Jolivet, Sean Riopel.



Members of the debate team gather around coach David Larrivee while they receive their scores from the Ludlow home meet.

Model Congress

Front: Jennifer Jolivet, Nicole Phaneuf, Vicky Ribeiro. **Back:** Mr. David Larrivee, Brent Bonzek, Philip Vitorino.



SADD **Front:** Christina Sanches, Brent Bonzek, Jessica Ribeiro. **Second:** Kristine Miele, Michelle Melikian, Katie Bassette, Heather Fonseca. **Third:** Samantha Dias, Karen Gosciminski, Jennifer Jolivet, Becky Rustic, Aimee Pelletier, Christie Bianchi, Dan Quiterio. **Fourth:** Michelle Ford, Jacqueline Doucet. **Fifth:** Christine Keough, Krystal Correia, Mary Butler, Leanne Peacey, Philip Vitorino, Melissa Hammel. **Back:** Sue Jessmer, Jessica Yu, Jessica Bonzek, Allison Butler, Stephanie Bennet, Mr. Jerome Linchan.



Mock Trial

Front: Vicky Ribeiro, Melissa Hammel, Nick Vantangoli, Matt Krystofik, Dave Vigliano. **Back:** Mr. Leonard Charest, Karen Gosciminski, Jessica Yu, Christine Keough, Kim Mosio, Brent Bonzek.

Signs of Ambition

Throughout LHS there are many clubs that are not only designed for recreation, but also to teach students skills they can use in their future careers. Model congress teaches aspiring politicians about the highly competitive atmosphere of congress, and the much need skill of lobbying in order to pass a bill through congress. Mock Trial is the perfect club for anyone interested in becoming a lawyer. The group selects mock lawyers and witnesses to act out a trial in a real courtroom with a real judge present. Students who wish to devote their lives to humanitarian efforts can begin making a difference by joining S.A.D.D. The club teaches students to reach out to others by educating everyone about the dangers of drinking and driving. The Debate team teaches its members how to research a topic, form an opinion on that topic, and then defend the opinion by facts taken from experts on the subject. Students also learn valuable public speaking skills that help them in many aspects of life.



◀ *Math Team*
Front: Kara Livingston, Stephanie Bennet, Patricia Norris, Allison Butler.
Back: Mr. Daniel Lynes, Justin Dolley, Sean Riopel, Matt Leal, Philip Vitorino.



◀ *Debate Team*
Front: Christopher Yu, Doug McCarthy, Dennis Gove.
Middle: Jessica Yu, Jennifer Jolivet, Philip Vitorino.
Back: Patrick Chrzanowski, Nicole Phaneuf, Brent Bonzek, Derek Provost, Sean Riopel.

◀ Seniors Phil Vitorino and Jen Jolivet await their scores from the Ludlow home meet on February 10th. "The most nerve-racking part of the debate is waiting for your results," said Jen. Jen and Phil won both of their debates that day.

Signs of Politics

Throughout Ludlow High signs of the many student government organizations can be found. Whether it is by upholding traditions or making changes, the Student Council is a constant sign of activity. A memorable event is Personal Servant Day, during which students may purchase Student Council members and then dress them up in interesting outfits for a day. Another is Dress up/Dress Down Day, when the teachers make a donation to a local charity in order to dress down, and the students wear their semi-formal attire while competing for an extra \$200 in their class treasury. In addition, the Student Council also sponsors Read across America, Relay For Life, and Trick-Or-Treat for Cans, just to name a few. Student Council advisor Mr. Brian Bylicki has stated, "Student Council is overworked and underappreciated, but they are always actively involved with smiles on their faces." Another student government group which stems from the Student Council is the Student Advisory Council, which is important because it is in charge of electing a student representative to sit on the school committee.

► Freshman Executive Board

Front: Jill Bramucci, Karen Hammel, Joel Baillargeon, Noel Petrolati. Back: James Herchel, Scott Mahoney, Jaclyn Vilaca, Gillian Sorenson.



► Junior Executive Board

Front: Lora Alves, Kim Sagan, Diane Castro, Michelle Sagan, Matt Leal, Elizabeth Barry. Second: Danielle Garbarino, Audrey Vilaca, Alicia Fidalgo, Jessica Ribeiro, Kelly Rosa, Karen Gosciminski, Jenn Genovevo, Dan Saunders, Krystal Correia, Jessica Piesz. Third: Laura Momnie, Carlee Belliveau, Dan Santos, Jon Witowski, Jocelyn Maksymiwi, Shruti Kulkarni, Mia Cabana, Dario Camacho. Back: Jessica Yu, Cristina Saraiva, Kristen Greene, Jen Almeida, Kori Binette, Karen Silveira, Katie Knowles, Bobbi Lynn Gregory.



► The Junior's Student Advisory Council State Student Advisory Council Heather Fonseca, Jennifer Bailey.





◆ *Student Council*
Jaclyn Vilaca,
Jennifer Bailey.

◆◆ Student Council member Diane Castro looks on while Kelly Rosa and Jessica Yu make donations to the Cancer Relay For Life, which took place on May 8th.



◆◆ *Student Council Board*
Front: Melissa Jorge, Ana Pereira. Middle: Cristina Ferreira, Alethea Lambert. Back: Jennifer Jorge, Joanne Wozniak, Lisete Simoes, Lindsay Robillard.



◆ *Student Advisory Council*
Clockwise: Jennifer Bailey (Chairwoman), Nicole Phaneuf, Sean Riopel, Jolene Galvin, Heather Fonseca.



◆ *Student Council*
Front: Tiffany Santos, Jennifer Prior, Jennifer Bailey, Heather Fonseca. Second: Jennifer Jorge, Joanne Wozniak, Lisete Simoes, Diane Castro, Lindsay Calkins, Melinda Alves, Michelle Melikian, Nicole Phaneuf, Steve Karalekas. Third: Mia Cabana, Melissa Jorge, Joel Baillargeon, Kim Sagan, Noel Petrolati, Jaclyn Vilaca, Jill Bramucci, Karen Hammel, Katie Knowles, Gillian Sorenson, Ana Pereira, Nate Dubosh. Back: James Herchel, Scott Mahoney, Matt Leal, Alethea Lambert, Cristina Ferreira, Michelle Sagan, Lindsay Robillard, Sean Riopel.

► Senior Patrol

Front: Sumaiya Abdullah, Melinda Alves, Michelle Melikian, Ryan Bartolucci, Lindsay Calkins, Matt Krystofik. **Middle:** Jay Willis, Maria Pereira, Elaine Chrzan, Nancy Teixeira, Lena Andre, Heather Fonseca, Tiffiny Santos, Nicole Phaneuf, Melissa Hammel, Nancy Almeida, Dan Quiterio, Matt Glista, Chris Courchesne. **Back:** Jason Juliano, Angela Tiago, Melisa Rubbo, Nuno Valdegas, Jenn Prior, Joe Goncalves, Jorge Fonseca, Jeff Tetrault, Mark Oliveira.



► Mural Club

Front: Alissa DeCaro, Joanne Wozniak, Mrs. Maureen Cotti. **Middle:** Kristin Ratkiewicz, Dina Torrao, Nicole Phaneuf, Christie Bianchi, Danielle Bowen, Laura Pronovost. **Back:** Melissa Wood, Sam Dias, Kerri Padgett, Krystal Correia, Andy Levesque, Jenn Bailey, Jill Nascimento.



▲ The Pom Staff

Front: Russell Tetreault, Melissa Hammel, Laura Pronovost, Christie Bianchi, Dan Quiterio. **Middle:** Mia Cabana, Kerri Line, Leanne Peacey, Samantha Dias, Kori Binette. **Back:** Darlene Pietrusinski.



▲ The Yearbook Staff

Front: Kori Binette, Jessica Yu, Karen Hammel, Nicole Phaneuf, Laura Pronovost, Christie Bianchi, Dan Quiterio, Melissa Hammel, Jennifer Jolivet. **Second:** Jessica Piesz, Diane Castro, Dan Fernandes, Alicia Fidalgo, Kim Sagan, Elaine Chrzan, Danielle Maruca, Andrew Doucet. **Third:** Carlee Belliveau, Allison Butler, Kara Williamson, Brent Bonzek, Kelly Lamas, Katelyn Thompson, Patricia Norris. **Fourth:** Jessica Bonzek, Jennifer Swist, Joanne Wozniak, Melissa Jorge, Jennifer Jorge, Diane Fraga, Christine Keough, Mia Cabana. **Fifth:** Darlene Pietrusinski, Karen Gosciminski, Heather Fonseca, Ashley Gomes, Christina Sanches, Cristina Ferreira, Sarah Jaciow. **Back:** Patrick Chrzanowski, Danielle Garbarino.

Signs of Creativity

Of all the student organizations in LHS, the mural club, *The Paw*, *The Cub*, and yearbook involve some of the most creative people. The mural club designs all the murals itself. Much time and effort is devoted to each mural from the time the idea is conceived until the finished design goes on the wall. It goes without saying that the murals beautify the otherwise drab walls of LHS. *The Paw* staff is in charge of finding unique poems, short stories, and drawings, created by LHS students, and then publishing them every few months. *The Cub* staff seeks out the latest news at LHS, and reports it in an interesting and professional manner. These students show off their expository writing skills when they write feature articles, but they also voice their opinions by writing pro and con editorials about current events. Yearbook is by far the most creative and challenging activity. Students are in charge of constructing layouts, taking or finding pictures, and writing copy. All of these activities require skills which pay off in the end.



◀◀ Cub fund raising manager Matt Helin is assisted by Jen Jolivet, Christina Sanches, and Jill Krystofik in preparing the roses for the Cub's Valentine's Day flower sale.



◀ National Honors Society Front: Christina Sanches, Philip Vitorino, Jennifer Jolivet, Lindsay Calkins, Jennifer Swist, Danielle Maruca. Back: Dan Quiterio, Matt Leal, Michelle Sagan, Kim Sagan, Alissa Pereira, Katie Knowles, Jonnathan Dias, Elaine Chrzan, Mary Butler, Sarah Jaciow, Mrs. Diane Mazzocco.

◀ The Cub Front: Jessica Yu, Melissa Hammel, Daniel Fernandes, Heather Fonseca, Russell Tetreault, Katelyn Thompson, Daniel Quiterio. Back: Mrs. Suzanne Kelley, Jill Krystofik, Jennifer Jorge, Ben Libbey, Melissa Jorge, Darlene Pietrusinski, Patricia Norris.

◀ Jennifer Bailey and Jill Nascimento (Captain Midnight) leave class two minutes early and arrive two minutes late so they can man their senior patrol posts and control hallway traffic.

Signs of Assistance

No school would run smoothly without the assistance of its student volunteers. Every day numerous students give up their study periods in order to help out various departments in the school. Some of these are guidance, the main office, the athletic office, and the library.

"They take care of incoming calls, copying, and man the desk so I can do my work. They are great kids and I am going to miss them," said Mrs. Anna Amaral, guidance secretary. Both office secretaries, Mrs. Gayle Thomas and Mrs. Nancy Guinipero, stated, "We know that even when we step out of the office for a minute, everything is in good hands. These students are quite conscientious and very dependable."

Another important job in the school is tutoring. Upperclassmen take time out of their day to assist younger students in subjects in which they are having difficulty.

Through students' service, life at Ludlow High is made a little bit easier.

► Athletic Director's Aides

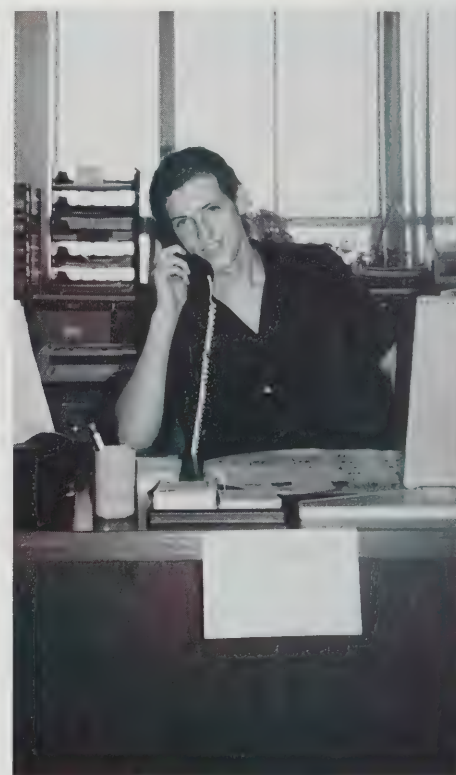
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Lynsey Calheno.

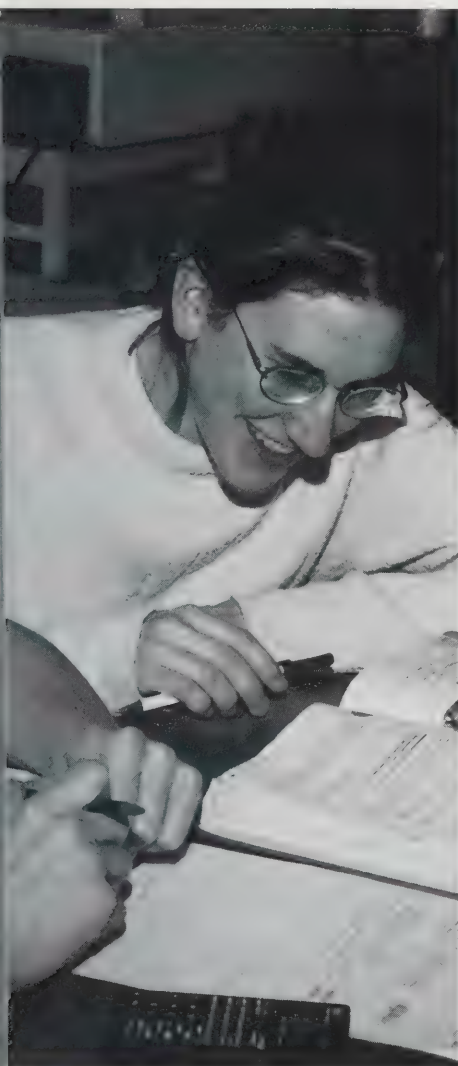


► While volunteering her study period to the library, Kathryn Freeman puts away returned books.



► Seen here performing one of his many duties, Brent Bonzek answers the phone in guidance.





◀ *Guidance Aides*
Sue Ann Jessmer,
Brent Bonzek, Sarah
Jaciow.

◀◀ One common scene in guidance is student tutoring. Pro Merito student Jennifer Jolivet helps Michael Diotalevi with his algebra homework. Mike said, "Sometimes in class when the teacher explains something it doesn't click, but hearing it from another student can make all the difference".



◀ *Technology Committee*
Matt Leal and Heather
Fonseca spend much of
their time discussing
the technology aspects of
the upcoming
renovations project.



▲ *Library Aides*
Kathryn Freeman, Elizabeth Crafts, Andrew Doucet,
Fallon Standen.

▲ *Office Aides*
Pamela Wright, Luis Teixeira, Alex Portelada, Emily Taylor, Jennifer Wright.

► Show Choir

Front: Jennifer Almeida, Cristina Saraiva, Patricia Maggard. **Back:** Mrs. Mary-Beth Will, Leah Saloio, Danielle Bowen, Kristen Greene.

►► Members of the newly formed Show Choir prepare to sing at the La Renaissance Christmas show.



► Chorale

Front: Darlene Pietrusinski, Michael Abdow, Lori Smolinski. **Middle:** Jennifer Almeida, Cristina Saraiva, Melissa Hatch, Leah Saloio, Danielle Bowen, Kristen Greene. **Back:** Andrew Emond, Matthew Leal.



▲ These seniors choir members joined the underclassmen for the final time at graduation when they sang "Like An Eagle."

▲ **Concert Choir** **Front:** Lori Randall, Angela Lewinski, Cristina Saraiva, Michelle Goodrow, Jennifer Matthes, Renee Gagne, Isabel Teixeira, April Cyranowski, Katrina Liszka, Melissa Melcher. **Second:** Heather Leroux, Gina Evans, Kristen Greene, Jennifer Almeida, Carrie Flebotte, Patricia Maggard, Leah Saloio, Nicole Phaneuf, Holly Abair, Mrs. Mary-Beth Will. **Third:** Nancy Almeida, Danielle Bowen, Lori Smolinski, Wendy Alexander. **Back:** Janelle Zick, Melissa Hatch, Matt Boisvert, Stephanie Griffith, Evan Hiersche, Jan Pieczara, Ryan Charpentier, Michael Abdow, John Kania, Darlene Pietrusinski, Laura Pronovost.

Signs of Music

This year marked many changes in the high school music department. During the summer, to many students surprise, Mr. Michael Rheault resigned from teaching in order to pursue other opportunities. Mrs. Mary-Beth Will was hired as the new choral director. With the new director came many positive changes. This year the choir added two new singing groups, the show choir and chorale. Both groups meet twice a week after school to rehearse. This year the groups performed at local functions such as The Ludlow Chamber of Commerce Banquet, La Renaissance's Christmas show, and various sporting events. In addition to the changes in choir, the band underwent its own changes. This year was the first year the band sponsored a camp one week prior to the start of school for the purpose of helping student get ready for the marching season. The marching band also experimented with new formations at football games. But the greatest change this year was the trip to Montreal, Canada, on April 29-May 2, for a band festival and competition.



◀ *Treble Chior*
Front: Angela Nunes, Kristine Barron, Karen Hammel, Jill Bramucci, Melissa Wood. **Back:** Edyta Kopacz, Sarah Desmarais, Elizabete Andre, Nicole Robleto, Magdalena Piascik, Mrs. Mary-Beth Will.



◀ *Color Guard*
Darlène Pietrusinski, **Jessica** Yu, **Cristina** Nascimento.

◀ *Band*
Front: Cristina Nascimento, Cristina Saraiva, Jenna Doty, Leslie Goncalves, Kara Livingston, Kimberly Pettengill, Lindsey Palatino, Jennifer Almeida, Darlene Pietrusinski, Lori Smolinski. **Second:** Jason Mancuso, Mia Cabana, Elizabeth Hangasky, Elizabeth Ouimette, Erin Fuller, Jill Krystofik, Lisa Andre, Deanna Padilla, Kenneth Topham, Anthony Santucci. **Third:** Christopher

Santucci, Matthew Krystofik, Laurie Ratkiewicz, Heather DeGrey, Nathan Cabana, James Ceberek, Sarah Jaciow, Rob Vice, Sarah Bocon, Kendra Lebel, Stephen Dias, Andrew Emond, Mr. Robert Kuhn. **Back:** Stephen Ricardi, Andrew DuFresne, Douglas Lawrence, Melissa Hatch, Carl Parylak, Mark Byrne, Andre Queiroga, Danielle Bowen, Andrew DaCruz, Matthew Leal, Scott Mahoney, Brian Tetrault, Joseph Boulanger, Eric Gove.

► Junior Dan Santos shows off his great arch as he clears the high jump at the Northampton meet.





Senior Lisa Wetherell draws her Holyoke opponent in the air to get a clean shot at the basket.



Sophomore Luis Teixeira watches his drive go down the fairway.



Senior Lindsay Gauthier fields the opponent's line drive and prevents a base hit.



Junior Justin Bruneau gets in his stance to face his Central opponent.

Sports

V`i`c`t`o`r`y S`i`g`n`s`

Athletics can have a large impact on young students' lives as they spend many hours a week practicing to prepare for victory. While many feel that sports play too big a role in school, others believe that athletes contribute a lot to the school life. Sports are educational, offering a cocurricular opportunity for the development of the student's whole being, enabling him to be a leader to humanity.

Every team experienced both the agony of defeat and the thrill of victory, and each team worked to make Ludlow proud as the wrestling team, boys' soccer team, and girls' volleyball team each won Western Massachussetts championships. The hockey team won the Barry Division. The golf team and girls' soccer team fell short of Western Massachussetts championships.

But of all the victories and defeats, athletes will always remember the dedication, hard work, commitment to their teammates, and commitment to the sport. Working together, being part of a family, is what made all of the squads successful.

Success doesn't mean winning, but to strive to the highest of an athlete's and/or team's ability, and to achieve realistic goals rather than fantasies.

Behind each team stood both the fans and the cheerleaders with all their support and pride in rooting for Ludlow, which was a vital part of the game, match, or meet.



Rich Corbeille

Coming to play center in a game as a freshman,

Rich Corbeille never looked back. He is as steady a performer as the Ludlow Lions could have ever had at that position. Corbeille will be greatly missed next season as he brought his determination and pride with him, whether at practice or in a game.

He contributed to the incredible Thanksgiving Day game victory over rival Palmer and the first ever Division IIIA Super Bowl.

Football

D`e`e`p` I`m`p`a`c`t`

Ludlow's football team big Thanksgiving Day made some big strides this victory over the Palmer Panthers 12-0.

year on the road to the Division IIIA Super Bowl. Sadly the team did not live up to expectations when it lost the title to Lunenburg with a final score of 21-0. Despite the loss, the team finished with an 8-3 record, which included the

"Working for four years going from a record of 1-10 to 8-3 was one of the biggest accomplishments the team could have ever made, and was due to the hard work by Coach Ericksberg."

-Gabe Faria

With most of the team returning next year, the Lions hope they can be just as successful.

Ludlow		Opponent
14	Mohawk	21
20	Mahar	22
30	Commerce	8
42	Putnam	8
36	Pathfinder	8
28	Sci Tech	14
30	Westfield	20
40	McCann	6
32	Franklin	6
12	Palmer	0
0	Lunenburg	21

"I won't fail because I won't allow myself to fail."
-Keyshawn Johnson, New York Jets

▶ Gabe Faria tries to escape the pursuit of the opponent as he attempts to gain extra yards.

▶ Jay Coddling attempts to out leap the defender and make the catch.



Rob Vice



Sean Riopel



Steve Bradley

▼ Derek Venne gets tackled as he attempts to gain the first down.

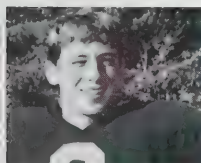


John Havens

"John has yet to reach his full potential as a football player. I wish we had him back for another year. I hope he continues to play and work hard. If and when he does, I'd hate to be the guy playing across from him," said Coach Ericksberg. He was well liked by his teammates and a very coachable athlete. He showed great improvement as he was part of the team's successful winning season.



Harley Langford



Gabe Faria



Rich Corbeille and John Havens



▲ Bottom: John Havens, Rob Vice, Richard Corbeille, Rob Byrne, Derek Venne, Steve Bradley, Gabe Faria, Dmitry Privedenyuk, Harley Langford, Sean Riopel. Second: Derek Finnerty, Chris Warwick, Mark Buckley, Peter Leonczyk, Jason Abair, Joe Coddling, Joel Baillargeon, Evan Hiersche, Abimael Mestre, Paul Afonso, Joe Iwasinski. Third: Assistant Coach Stephen Spinali, Jay Kenny, Mark Byrne, Camilio Gaviria, Dustin Gray, Jay Coddling, Nathan Gray, Mike Hastings, Jonathan Majgier, Dominic Fortini, Alex Vologzhanin, Scott Barrus, Assistant Coach Bo Pzeniczny. Fourth: Nate Cabana, Coach Jim O'Donnell, Nick Vantangoli, Brock Gaspar, Patrick Karalekas, Eric Slora, Manny Goncalves, Leo Piecuch, Dave Padykula, Matt Martin, Mike Murray, Richard Bradway, Rick Glanville, Bill LaBelle-Boucher, Coach Carl Ericksberg.



Lisa Wetherell

Senior middleblocker and hitter, Lisa Wetherell brought her team to a 21-1 mark which included an unbeaten record against competition from this region. Co-captain and All-Western Mass. selection, the Lady Lions' Wetherell, was chosen as TV22 Athlete of the Week. She also plays basketball and track and field. She will continue her studies at Springfield College in pursuit of her career in physical education.

Seniors receive roses and stuffed lions at their last game at Senior Night.



Varsity Front: Lora Alves, Jessica Piesz, Bobbi-Lynn Gregory. Middle: Kim Askew, Sue Ann Jessmer, Danielle Maruca, Lisete Simoes, Marie Teixeira, Sumaiya Abdullah, Elaine Chrzan. Back: Lindsay Gauthier, Assistant Coach George Rosa, Anne Forcum, Lisa Wetherell, Carlee Belliveau, Manager Aimee Pelletier, Manager Laura Croteau, Coach Fred Glanville.



Danielle Maruca



Lindsay Gauthier



Anne Forcum

Girls' Volleyball

C`h`a`n`g`i`n`g` O`p`i`n`i`o`n`

One year removed from making history by winning their first post-season victory, the mighty Lions swept through the competition, finishing with an unbelievable 21-1 record; and the Ladies were crowned Western Massachusetts champions.

"Winning Western Mass. felt good because it felt like we were unbeatable ... it was one of the biggest accomplishments in my life."
-Sumaiya Abdullah

After losing three starters-- Lisa Wetherell,

Sumaiya Abdullah, and Marie Teixeira-- the Lady Lions know the road to repeat as Western Mass.

champions will be twice as hard next year. But their Coach Fred Glanville believes that the underclassmen can

make up for this year's losses.



Marie Teixeira

All-Western Mass selection, Captain Marie Teixeira had 87 digs this season to help the Ladies win their first Eastern Division league title. She is a dominant leader and worked hard to keep her team in focus throughout the season. Her excellent work ethic and attitude guided her to a successful triumph. A competitive and athletic senior, Teixeira also plays hockey for a girls' team in Holyoke.



Elaine Chrzan



Sumaiya Abdullah



Lisa Wetherell and Marie Teixeira

Bobbi-Lynn Gregory tries to keep the volley going with her bump.



Ludlow	Opponent
2	Mohawk 1
2	Ware 1
2	Amherst 0
2	Minnechaug 0
2	Longmeadow 0
2	Belchertown 1
2	Frontier 1
2	Agawam 0
2	E. Longmeadow 1
2	Central 0
2	Ware 1
2	Amherst 1
2	Minnechaug 0
2	Longmeadow 0
2	Agawam 0
2	Belchertown 1
2	East Longmeadow 0
3	Holyoke 0
3	Westfield 1
0	N. Quincy 3

▲ JV Team Front: Joanne Wozniak, Patricia Norris, Jennifer Jorge, Katelyn Thompson, Gina Scagliarini, Stacy Lucas, Nichole Bassette. Second: Jolie Glanville, Katie Rich, Amanda Howard, Crystal Mateus, Kristen Fortune, Danielle LaBelle-Boucher, Ashley Ceberek, Jessica Machado. Back: Coach George Rosa, Kristen Martin, Melissa Jorge, Allison Barron, Jessica Moore, Kayla Pease, Kristen Barone, Beth Ouimette, Jennifer Messier, Coach Fred Glanville.



Joe Goncalves
Western
Mass.
leading
scorer, Joe
Goncalves,
All-State
pick,
finished
with twenty-
one goals
and four
assists
while taking
his team to
the state
semifinals.

All-State
pick
forward/
stopper, Jay
Willis had a
flair for the
dramatic,
winning the
goal by a
headball in
the Western
Mass. finals
He led his
team in
tournament
goals,
scoring
seven in
nine games.



Jay Willis

Boys' Soccer

C o m m o n G r o u n d

The boys' soccer team repeated this year as Western Massachusetts champions as it defeated the top seeded West Springfield 1-0 in sudden death overtime.

Although the state semifinalists' boys soccer team will lose ten seniors this year, it has many young skilled players with experience to take over their place.



JV Front: Ray Cheria, Mike Pio, Brian Cochenour, Helder Pires, Paulo Martins, Kevin Crespo, Paulo Dias.
Second: Jon Dias, Tim Romansky, Paulo Faria, Jamie Assaf, Andre Queiroga, Dan Santos, Chris Chelo, Dave Miranda.
Back: Coach Greg Kolodziey, Dominik Sieber, Dan Santos, Manny Goncalves, Dave Gwozdz, Rich Zina, Fernando Flores, Dave Fonseca.

▲▲ Dan Dias starts off a break-away with his killer pass as Carlos Chaves witnesses the unbelievable scene.



Varsity Front: Bob Shanley, Jason Willis, Joe Goncalves, Jorge Fonseca, Jason Martins, Dan Dias.
Second: Dennis Carvalho, John Reilly, Jason Chelo, Justin Bruneau, Jason Devlin, Jason DaCruz, Steve Jorge.
Back: Assistant Coach Jack Vilaca, Assistant Coach Greg Kolodziey, Joe Jorge, Carlos Chaves, Jon Witowski, Jimmy Elias, Brian Pereira, Manager Audrey Vilaca, Coach Tony Goncalves.

Ludlow	Opponent	
5	Minnechaug	1
0	Westside	0
2	Westfield	1
4	Waconah	0
3	Agawam	1
2	Amherst	0
3	Longmeadow	1
7	Chicopee	1
1	Cathedral	4
1	Central	0
9	Holyoke	0
0	Pittsfield	1
3	Westside	1
3	Agawam	1
1	Longmeadow	1
1	Cathedral	1
1	Minnechaug	0
2	Pittsfield	0
1	Westside	0
2	Milford	3



Dan Dias and
Jason Martins



Jay Willis and
Joe Goncalves



Brian Pereira and
Carlos Chaves



Jimmy Elias and
Bob Shanley



Jorge Fonseca



Freshman Front: Matthew Mol, Joe Shanley, Alex Mendes, Nick Mol.
Second: Dave Navarro, Kevin Keough, Derek Salema, Mathew Pereira, Seth Falconer, Bruno Duarte.
Back: Matthew Levesque, Chris Bernardo, Dave Cioch, Mike Martins, Chris Dias, Dan Martins, Coach Jonathan Cavallo.



Girls' Soccer

P'r'o'm'i's'e

With four seniors the Lady Lions' reached the Western Massachusetts semifinals where they lost to the Cathedral Panthers.

Team of the month in *Free Kicks*, the junior varsity team had no goals scored against it as it went undefeated, making Ludlow history.

The team has a young, skilled team for the future and looks forward to winning championships.



Bella Soares

One of the toughest defenders in the area, Bella Soares contributed to her team's League Championship title in 1997. All-State contender, she used her offensive and defensive skills to dominate her opponents. She is a two time Western Mass. first team selection. Four year varsity player and the team's MVP both her last two years, Soares will be greatly missed. She continues her soccer career at HCC while pursuing a career in elementary education.

▲ *Varsity Front:* Katrina Louvitakis, Isabel Soares, Nicole Gebo, Sandy Salvador, Liz Dyjak, Lindsay Haluch, Stephanie Santos. *Second:* Lynsey Calheno, Kara Williamson, Marcy Bousquet, Jennifer Genoveno, Michelle Sagan, Tracy Rodrigues, Melissa Dominique, Sarah Davis. *Back:* Coach Mario Monsalves, Coach Sal Chelo, Alissa Pereira, Tiffany Kapinos, Tina Santos, Michelle Mateus, Leana Alves, Angela Goncalves, Coach Jim Calheno.



Tracy Rodrigues



Tiffany Kapinos



Alissa Pereira



Heather Fonseca and Lindsay Calkins



Bella Soares and Michelle Mateus

Ludlow	Opponent	
3	Agawam	2
5	E. Longmeadow	0
3	Minnechaug	2
11	Chicopee	1
3	Central	0
3	Westfield	1
4	Holyoke	1
0	Cathedral	2
6	Chic. Comp.	0
0	Westfield	1
3	Amherst	0
2	Longmeadow	2
3	Westside	1
0	Cathedral	2
1	Longmeadow	4

"Stay strong and put your heart and soul into it."
-Shannon MacMillan, US National Soccer Team



▲ *JV Front:* Michelle Goncalves, Kathy Scyocurka, Amie Grimshaw, Jessica Vital, Rosemary Gaudreau, Sharlene Goncalves, Lindsay Calkins, Lynsey Calheno. *Second:* Leanna Alves, Michelle Sagan, Jennifer Genevevo, Kim Sagan, Christina Nascimento, Kelly Lamas, Angela Machado. *Back:* Coach Nuno Pereira, Lindsay Robillard, Alissa Momnie, Alethea Lambert, Janelle Zick, Hayley Braz, Jennifer Crespo, Ana Pereira, Manager Melissa Costa.



▲ *Freshman Front:* Jessica Babinski, Lisa Alves, Christine Goncalves, Lori Costa, Jodi Lucas, Melissa Quiterio, Lauren Mislak. *Second:* Jennifer Pazos, Amber Lamontagne, Heidi Mariani, Kristin Joyal, Erin LaBonte, Noel Petrolati, Jill Bramucci. *Back:* Coach Melanie Pzeniczny, Lindsay Palatino, Elizabeth Barros, Allison Meuse, Leslie Goncalves, Sarah Bocon, Lisa Phaneuf.

▲▲ Defender Alissa Pereira dribbles by the Pittsfield player with her various assortment of fakes.



Andy Fernandes

The 1998 LHS varsity golf team was led by senior, captain Andy Fernandes.

His individual performance was outstanding, as he finished with a record of 14-5-1 and made the All Western Mass. second team. Four year varsity player, Fernandes will also be remembered for his leadership ability, competitive spirit, and positive attitude.

Golf

D`e`d`i`c`a`t`i`o`n`

Mr. Kurt Anderson, the team's third coach led the team to a third place finish in the division with a 12-7-1 record but the team didn't live up to early expectations as it finished fifth in the Western Mass. tournament.

The team is optimistic about the future as all golfers with the exceptions of Andy Fernandes and Christopher Courchesne return next year.



▲ JV Front: Alex White, Brett Smith, Chris Fernandes, Jon Sajdak. Back: Dave DaSilva, Mike Linton, Nick Barron, Coach Kurt Anderson.

▲▲ Varsity Front: Andy Fernandes, Chris Courchesne, Brett Smith, Lou Teixeira. Back: Dave DaSilva, Mike Robar, Joe Boulanger, Steve Karalekas, Nick Barron, Coach Kurt Anderson

▼ Chris Courchesne watches, hoping that his putt goes in.



Ludlow	Opponent	
10.5	Minnechaug	7.5
11.5	S. Hadley	6.5
12	Westfield	6
10.5	Longmeadow	7.5
9	E. Longmeadow	9
7	Agawam	11
17.5	Sci. Tech	.5
14.5	Amherst	3.5
5	Minnechaug	13
9.5	S. Hadley	8.5
18	Central	0
14	Longmeadow	4
5	E. Longmeadow	13
8.5	Agawam	9.5
6	Cathedral	12
11	Northampton	7
18	Sci. Tech	0
6.5	Amherst	11.5
10.5	Chic. Comp	7.5



Andy Fernandes



Chris Courchesne



▲ Joe Boulanger watches his drive in hopes that it stays in the fairway at Westover Golf Course.

Dario Camacho races to the finish line as fans cheer him on.



Cross Country

D`r`i`v`e`

Philip Dalessio coached the girls' and boys' cross-country teams this year to a record of 5-8. Despite having only six girls and 15 boys, the teams exceeded many expectations.

Losing only four seniors, Todd Kiel, Renee Gagne, David Vigliano and Amena Assaf, the team will have most of its players return next year for another great and fun season.



Amena Assaf



Renee Gagne



Todd Kiel



Dave Vigliano

Ludlow	Opponent	
20	Holyoke	37
22	Longmeadow	39
37	Agawam	20
23	Westfield	33
29	Northampton	26
24	E. Longmeadow	31
42	Central	19
17	Chicopee	45
32	Sci. Tech.	30
15	Amherst	49
32	Chic. Comp.	23
16	Minnechaug	46
25	Cathedral	30

"You can't wait for the coach to call practice."
-Michael Johnson, Men's Olympic Runner



▲ Front: Kori Binette, Shruti Kulkarni, Renee Gagne, Katie Knowles, Amena Assaf. Middle: Kolby Moore, David-Paul Moran, Laura Momnie, Dario Camacho. Back: Coach Phil Dalessio, Greg Gaudreau, Justin Dolley, Dave Vigliano, Coach Joseph Szlosek.



▲ Phil Surprenant puts in a last effort as he crosses the finish line.

▲▲ The girls try to get an early lead in the race against Northampton.



Todd Kiel
Four year
varsity
captain,
Todd Kiel
showed great
personal
improvement
becoming
the #4
runner. His
excellent
work ethic
and
leadership
helped mold
a young
team for
future
success.

Finishing
37th out of
127 runners
out of the
WMASS
championships, Renee
Gagne was
the #2
runner of
the team. A
three year
varsity
runner, she
worked hard
with a great
attitude.



Renee Gagne



Steve Bradley MVP captain Steve led the Lions to nothing but victory. As a three year starter, he was selected All-Western Mass. his last two years. This year he had 30 wins, 25 of which were by pins. Bradley is the all-time career record holder for most pins with 56. He won the Western Mass. title in the 171 weight class by pin this year and was chosen as TV22 Athlete of the Week. Bradley finished his career with 71 wins, only the second time this has been done in Ludlow.

Wrestling

H`i`s`t`o`r`y` C`h`a`n`g`e`

The wrestling team had another outstanding season as it won the league title for the third straight year and won the Western Massachusetts championships for the first time in history. The Lions won the school's first Western Massachusetts championship by beating its rival, Agawam, by a score of 221 1/2 to 221. The team also went on to the state championships where it

placed tenth in the state.

Only losing two seniors, Rob Vice and Steve Bradley, the wrestling team has lots of returning players including

Derek Venne and Abi Mestre who plan to lead the team to a fourth straight league title and second Western Massachusetts championship.

"Winning the WMASS tourney and going undefeated in the league three straight years was the greatest thing I could have been part of. Next year, we're looking for the states."
-Jay Coddling

Ludlow	Opponent
78 Putnam	3
54 Cathedral	28
60 Sci. Tech.	18
70 Pittsfield	3
54 E. Longmeadow	21
69 Amherst	6
63 Westfield	19
64 Longmeadow	9
39 Minnechaug	27
39 Central	32
39 Agawam	33
73 Durfee	3
52 Brockton	19
48 Bridgewater	22
55 Southwick	15
21 Franklin	46
42 Hingham	27
45 Westside	22
55 Mt. Herman	12

▶ Abi Mestre tries to find a flaw in his opponent so he can make a move to gain points while showing off his buff upper body.

▶ The team rallies together before the match, exchanging helpful hints on the opponents they would face.



▼ Steve Bradley tries to pin down the opponent for the win while showing off his newly-fashioned tattoo of roses and a snake.



▲ *Front:* Justin Bruneau, Filipe Barroso, Art Privedenyuk, Mark Medina, Derek Rodrigues, Abi Mestre, James Ceberek. *Second:* Jay Kenny, Ivan Aguilar, Mark Bento, Jay Coddling, Camillo Gaviria, Dmitry Privedenyuk, Joe Coddling, Mark Byrne. *Back:* Coach Jeff Peterson, Brett Mackenzie, Nate Cabana, Carlos Pereira, Dave Perham, Steve Bradley, Patrick Karalekas, Assistant Coach Derek Swistak, Dave Kenny, Leo Piecuch, Derek Venne, Assistant Coach Alan Gates.



Rob Vice

Contributing to the Western Mass.

Division I championship. Captain Rob Vice wrestled in the 152 weight class. He wrestled hard in the tournament, finishing third in a very tough weight class. One of the hardest working kids, Vice was

instrumental for the Lions, capturing the first title.

His durable victory in the consolation finals secured the team title.

Vice finished with 23 wins and was given the coach's award for his dedication and his hard work ethic.



Eddie Urban
Captain
Eddie
Urban led
the Barry
Division in
scoring
with 38
goals. All-
Western
Mass.
Division I
selection,
Urban
helped the
Lions to a
first place
title tie
with
Cathedral.
Four year
varsity
player, he
scored just
about one
goal in
every
game, and
he
received
the Rookie
of the Year
Award. His
leadership
and fine
scoring
touch
brought
the team to
the
WMASST
tournament.

Hockey

T i e` B`r`e`a`k`e`r`s`

The hockey team had another successful season under head coach Richard Malek as it finished co-champs in the Barry division and made the Western Mass. tournament. Unfortunately, it came up short and lost to Minnechaug 3-1.

The team will lose four seniors this year who all played a major role on the team. But with plenty of experienced underclassmen, the team will have high expectations next year.



▲ JV Front: Matt Ribeiro, Mike Pires, Matt Condon, Jimmy Goodreau, Mark Bates, Coach Tony Costa. Second: Matt Hill, Scott Lamondia, Ryan Malone, Eric Kellogg, Tony Albano. Back: Ryan Linton, Steve Karalekas, Pete Milillo, Mark Martell, Jon Sajdak.

▲ Varsity Front: Erin Fuller, Matt Ribeiro, Nate Dubosh, Dustin Gray, Rob Mathias, Todd Kiel, Adam Kulas, Nate Gray, Matt Hill, Crystal Riopelle. Back: Coach Richard Malek, Assistant Coach Tony Costa, Kim Leits, Mike Almeida, Jimmy Goodreau, Carlos Chaves, Jason Pease, Jon Witowski, Matt Glista, Mike Linton, Jeff Braz, Eddie Urban, Gina Evans, Megan Braska, Assistant Coach Al Thomas, Assistant Coach Paul Tomlinson.

▼ Eddie Urban is on one of his many break-aways in which he tries to fake out the opposing goalie. He led the Barry division in goals.



Ludlow	Opponent	
2	Leominster	2
4	Mt. Greylock	4
9	Agawam	7
3	Westfield	4
7	Greenfield	0
5	Cathedral	8
7	Minnechaug	6
5	Westside	1
5	Amherst	2
5	Longmeadow	2
9	Pittsfield	0
8	E. Longmeadow	1
2	Westfield	4
6	Minnechaug	2
9	Chic. Comp	3
9	Pittsfield	0
13	Holyoke	0
5	Longmeadow	2
4	West Springfield	6
7	Pittsfield	0
3	Minnechaug	5



Carlos Chaves



Matt Glista



Todd Kiel and
Eddie Urban



Rob Mathias



Chris Courchesne



▲ Chris Courchesne stands in his lonely corner waiting to see if any pucks come his way.

▼ Brett Smith attempts to slice through the flags in his journey towards the finish line.

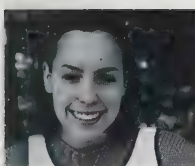


Break Free Ski

B`r`e`a`k` `F`r`e`e`

This was the first year in which the boys' and girls' ski teams were separated into two teams. Although the boys and girls' teams only had six people each, all unexperienced, the athletes enjoyed themselves on the slopes as it was a fun learning experience for them.

With young talent the team expects to make big strides next year.



Dessire Vitorino



► Justin Silva skies down the slope in his stylin' new white sweatshirt!



▲ Varsity Front: Brett Smith, Justin Silva, Mike Diotalevi, Evan Hiersche. Back: Coach John Barlow, Jen Genovevo, Michelle Kirnicki, Dessire Vitorino, Lauren Mislak, Lindsey Palatino, Gina Scagliarini, Coach Gary Scagliarini.



▲▲ Evan Hiershe shows his skills while coming down the slopes.

▲ Michelle Kirnicki glides down the ski slope.



Dessire Vitorino

The one and only senior on the ski team, Dessire Vitorino had her best time her senior year. A four year skier as a Ludlow High School athlete, she has been skiing for seven years. Dedicated competitor, Vitorino has been recognized by her teammates and coach as one of their most valuable skiers. She admits she used to fall a lot, but has vastly improved, having fallen only once this year.



Josh Maynard

A very dedicated basketball player, Josh Maynard earned recognition from both his coach and team through hard work and eventually became a co-captain. Maynard led his team in rebounds with 143 and led the team in field goal percentage with a 57% clip from the field. He had remarkable success offensively against much taller and stronger opponents with the team's "inside" game.

Boys' Basketball

S`i`g`h`t` C`h`a`n`g`e`

The boys' basketball team had an unsuccessful season as it finished the year with a 4-16 record. Despite the record, the team showed improvement throughout the year and had a chance in winning every game it played.

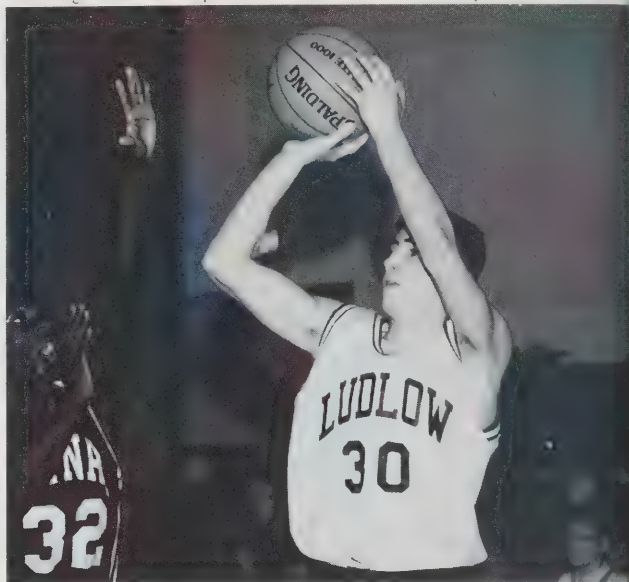
Despite some complications from the start of the season, the team did what it could. It played with its opponents, but fell short during the second half of its season.



Varsity Front: Michael Pio, Josh Maynard, Carlos Serrazina, Dave Gwozdz, Jon Dias. Second: Managers Lora Alves, Sarah Desmarais, Joseph Boulanger, Dave Vooris, Wes Benware, James Dsaurier, Managers Renee Gagne, Erin Murphy. Back: Coach William Kolodziey, Manager Rosemary Gaudreau, Ryan Salvador, Tom Karas, Jay Willis, Assistant Coach Fred Glanville.

Freshman Front: Chris Warwick, Matt Mol, Derek Salema, Nick Mol, Chris Zapala. Second: Carl Parylak, Chris Dias, Peter Leonczyk, Michael Balog. Back: Joseph Shanley, Brock Gaspar, Brent Kowal, Eric Slora, Tony Alvaro, Ryan Lafleur, Coach Tad Tokarz.

Point-guard, Carlos Serrazina demonstrates the correct B.E.E.F. shooting form as he performs his "too sweet" jumper.



Ludlow	Opponent
64	Palmer 60
58	Sci. Tech. 83
67	Palmer 63
53	Cathedral 84
54	Agawam 60
53	Westfield 64
57	Greenfield 63
50	Chi. Comp. 65
54	Putnam 64
66	Amherst 76
55	E. Longmeadow 67
64	Westside 61
31	Minnechaug 44
47	Greenfield 54
54	Chic. Comp 64
47	Putnam 63
62	Holyoke 83
60	E. Longmeadow 72
56	Westside 40
64	Minnechaug 68



Jay Willis



Josh Maynard



JV Front: Jon Dias, Dan Fernandes, Helder Pires, Brian Cochenour, Ben Libbey. Second: Shawn Farnsworth, Luis Teixeira, James Lincoln, John Bickel. Back: Managers Lora Alves, Renee Gagne, Volunteer Assistant Coach Bruce Allen, Brent Allen, James Deslaurier, Bill LaBelle-Boucher, Mike Murray, Rick Glanville, Coach Fred Glanville, Manager Sarah Desmarais.

Lindsay Gauthier penetrates and creates a scoring opportunity for her team while fashioning her high red and white striped socks.



Girls' Basketball

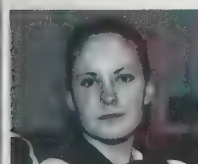
'B`e`g`i`n`n`i`n`g`

The girls' basketball team had a successful season under Coach Tim Brillo as the team finished with a 7-13 record. This year the team was moved to a Division I schedule and struggled in the beginning of the season, but with a confident win over defending state champion, Lee, the girls' improved and put a string of four wins in a row.

Although the Ladies played new teams, they left their mark.



Tiffany Kapinos



Jennifer Prior



Lisa Wetherell



Heather Fonseca



Lindsay Gauthier

Ludlow	Opponent	
54	Chi. Comp.	68
34	Westfield	50
51	S. Hadley	71
57	Lee	53
36	Cathedral	55
48	Sci. Tech	34
57	Westside	42
57	Central	53
61	Southwick	31
44	E. Longmeadow	52
33	Holyoke	55
37	Longmeadow	66
35	Chicopee	40
30	Amherst	44
39	N. Hampton	54
51	Minnchaug	22
54	Central	38
39	E. Longmeadow	58
26	Holyoke	56
48	Sci. Tech	50



▲ JV Front: Liz Dyjak, Lindsay Robillard. Second: Kathyne Seyocurka, Lindsay Haluch, Pam Wright, Jolie Glanville. Back: Manager Hayley Braz, Eileen Dunfield, Sarah Davis, Alyssa Momnie, Coach Jon Cavallo.



▲ Varsity Front: Tiffany Kapinos, Lindsay Gauthier, Lisa Wetherell, Heather Fonseca. Second: Sarah Vitorino, Jessica Piesz, Stephanie Santos, Jennifer Prior, Tina Santos, Nicole Gebo, Katie Louvitis. Back: Assistant Coach Jon Cavallo, Managers Lisete Simoes, Katelyn Thompson, Danielle Maruca, Carlee Belliveau, Kara Williamson, Alethea Lambert, Coach Tim Brillo, Assistant Coach J.C. Fernandes.

▲ Freshman Front: Kristine Goncalves, Jodi Nascimento, Jackie Foley, Melissa Goodrow. Second: Melissa Supczak, Jennifer Messier, Kristine Barron. Back: Manager Jodi Lucas, Heidi Mariani, Elizabeth Crafts, Liz Barros, Jill Bramucci, Coach J.C. Fernandes.



Lisa Wetherell

Two year starting varsity center Lisa Wetherell first laced up her sneakers for the freshman team. That was her first time playing organized basketball. During her senior season, Wetherell was the team leader and was the recipient of the Lion award. Her hard work and dedication to the team and the game has showed on the court as she helped contribute to a memorable season.



Jolene Galvin
 Four year
 varsity
 cheerleader,
 Jolene
 Galvin gave
 her energy
 and spirit
 rooting for
 Ludlow
 sports teams
 through the
 fall and
 winter
 seasons.
 When the
 teams were
 down and
 the fans
 were
 doubtful,
 as captain,
 Galvin
 started up a
 cheer to
 liven up the
 spirits of the
 crowd.
 She helped
 the fans
 maintain
 high levels
 of spirit. In
 the long,
 cold soccer
 games or
 the cold
 football
 games, she
 brightened
 up the
 spirits of all.

Cheerleading

R`e`b`u`i`l`d`i`n`g`

The cheerleading team went through many tough times during the year. It was hit with a tough break as soon as the season began when a serious accident occurred to sophomore Sarah Russell.

Midway through the season, the cheerleaders underwent another change as their coaches, Cathy Lawrence and Tonya Leroux resigned. The cheerleaders were forced to find a new coach.

The cheerleaders do one of their many famous L-U-D-L-O-W cheers during the boys' basketball game.



Jolene Galvin



Michelle Melikian



Front: Jolene Galvin. Second: Aislinn Emirzian, Jaclyn Vilaca, Jennifer L. Matthes, Danielle Garbarino. Back: Jennifer Russell, Heather O'Connell, Deana Birch, Erin Fuller.

Heather O'Connell shows just how easy a splits-in-the-air is to do in a cheerleading routine.



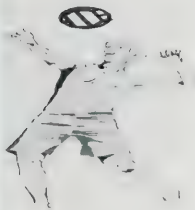
Captain Jenn Matthes wishes the best of luck to graduating captain Jolene Galvin.

To keep up the level of spirit flowing through the crowd, the winter squad preforms its routine in the Ludlow gym during a basketball game intermission.

James Deslaurier tips the volleyball over the net while showing his acrobatic skills.



Sean Riopel



Ludlow		Opponent
1	Athol	2
2	Putnum	0
2	Dean Tech.	0
1	Ware	2
0	Agawam	2
1	Minnechaug	2
0	Pioneer	2
0	E. Longmeadow	2
2	Sci. Tech.	1
1	Agawam	2
0	Athol	2
2	Putnam	1
1	Dean Tech.	2
1	Ware	2
1	Belchertown	2
0	Minnechaug	2
2	E. Longmeadow	1
2	Sci. Tech.	0

New Horizons Boys' Volleyball

N`e`w` H`o`r`i`z`o`n`s`

Despite a disappointing, inexperienced season, the boys' volleyball team had some competitive matches.

The team failed to qualify for the tournament, but showed improvement throughout the season and had its bright spots.

While the team struggled, it was only a second year team that had a hard time switching from winter to a spring sport.



Sean Riopel

First year varsity player Sean Riopel contributed much to the young boys' volleyball team. Although the team was inexperienced, his bumping and setting skills helped in the many challenging games, including the Minnechaug and Central games, and he was a major asset in the great victory over East Longmeadow.

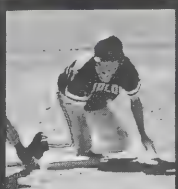


Concentrating on the ball, Paulo Faria returns the serve from the opponent and sets up a scoring opportunity for his team.



Front: Matt Levesque, Derek Salema, Paulo Afonso, Sean Riopel, Jason Mancuso, Leo Picuch. Second: Pat Padgett, James Deslaurier, Brian DaSilva, Nick Axiotis, Matt Gulbrandsen. Back: Amanda Martin, Coach Fred Glanville, Nick Barron, Rick Glanville, Andy Levesque, Assistant Coach George Rosa, Stacy Lucas, Bobbi Lynn Gregory.

Paulo Afonso sets the ball to his teammate, James Deslaurier, for the kill.



Bobby Shanley

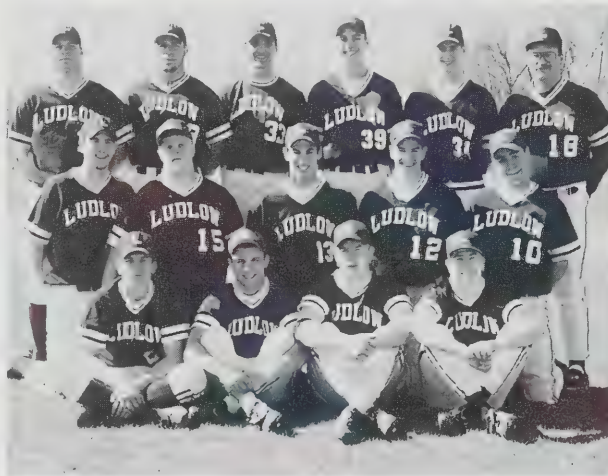
Captain Bob Shanley was a three-year varsity starter at shortstop and outfielder. He batted .286 with 14 RBIs his junior year. He started the Lions' comeback against Minnechaug, down 0-4, with a solo homerun to begin the key rally of a 7-4 victory. Hitting .329 with 23 hits in 20 games his senior year and an on-base percentage of .435, Shanley was an All-Suburban League pick.

Baseball

'B`e`t`t`i`n`g`

The baseball team had a successful season finishing with a 12-9 record and an appearance in the Western Massachusetts tournament. Unfortunately, the team lost to Agawam 2-5 in the quarterfinals.

Coach Bylicki shaved his mustache during first lunch and second lunch after his team clinched the Western Mass. tournament to fulfill his bet to his team.



▲▲▲ Varsity Front: Jason Coddling, Michael Almeida, Jeffrey Urban, Ed Urban. Second: Josh Maynard, Steve Bradley, Nick Gates, Chris Kendall, Bob Shanley. Back: Ryan Salvador, Jonathan Witowski, Andy Fernandes, Dave Gwozdz, Joe Boulanger, Coach Brian Bylicki.

▲ Junior pitcher Ryan Salvador tumbles past the catcher, who waits for the rolling ball, to make a run.

▼ Ed Urban tags the opponent's base runner before he crosses home plate.



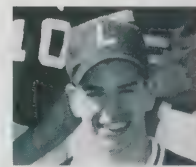
Ludlow	Opponent
18	Palmer 2
11	Palmer 6
5	Westside 2
2	Cathedral 3
7	Minnechaug 4
7	Holyoke 14
10	Westfield 9
6	Amherst 15
11	Central 1
8	Longmeadow 5
4	Agawam 13
12	Chicopee Comp. 10
5	Chicopee 8
6	South Hadley 4
9	East Longmeadow 4
5	Northampton 8
6	Chicopee 7
4	South Hadley 8
4	East Longmeadow 3
8	Northampton 4
2	Agawam 5



Andy Fernandes



Nick Gates



Chris Kendall



Josh Maynard and Steve Bradley



Eddie Urban and Bob Shanley



▲ The seniors show off the new fashion trend in baseball with the pants worn above the waist. Or are there just seven Steve Urkle impersonators on the LHS baseball team?

Senior pitcher Jennifer Jolivet throws the ball, aiming for the center of the plate...Strike three!!!



Softball

C O N C E N T R A T I O N

The softball team had a disappointing season as it failed to reach the Western Massachusetts tournament and finished the year with an 8-12 record.

Although the season was a struggle all year long, it started to get some key wins as the season came to an end.

The Ladies played strong to take the victory against both intense Holyoke games, 4-2 and 10-4.



Lindsay Gauthier

Four time All-League varsity player, Lindsay "Muffin" Gauthier is also a contender for All-Western Mass. Division I pick. An outstanding captain, she led the team with a phenomenal .500 average including ten doubles and had eight runs. She also led the team with 12 RBIs. She was well respected both on and off the field.



Elaine Chrzan and Anne Forcum



Jennifer Jolivet and Alycia Drobot



Anne Kowalski



Lisa Wetherell



Lindsay Gauthier

Ludlow	Opponent	
6	Southwick	3
15	Northampton	8
5	Longmeadow	6
4	Amherst	19
1	Chicopee Comp.	0
11	West Springfield	1
10	Agawam	1
3	Minnechaug	0
17	Cathedral	3
4	East Longmeadow	17
4	Westfield	0
4	Holyoke	2
4	Chicopee	11
4	Central	12
3	Belchertown	12
7	South Hadley	2
10	Holyoke	4
6	Chicopee	20
0	Central	16
6	South Hadley	10



Freshman Front: Katherine Bourdeau, Jaclyn Vilaca, Samantha Stefanowich, Sarah Rustic. **Second:** Melissa Supczak, Jacqueline Foley, Jennifer Messier, Sara Courchesne, Noel Petrolati. **Back:** Managers Chris Courchesne, Matt Martin, Kathryn Freeman, Elizabeth Crafts, Kristen Martin, Heather DeWolf, Coach Robin Esteb.



Varsity Front: Anne Forcum, Elaine Chrzan, Jennifer Jolivet, Lindsay Gauthier, Vanessa Ferreira, Anne Kowalski. **Back:** Coach Susan Stachelek, Deborah Tarsa, Alycia Drobot, Lisa Wetherell, Eileen Dunfield, Jessica Piesz, Karen Gosciminski, Manager Danielle Maruca.

JV Front: Kristin Fortune, Kara Williamson, Gina Scagliarini, Danielle LaBelle-Boucher, Ashley Ceberek. **Second:** Pamela Wright, Kristen Barone, Alethea Lambert, Patricia Norris. **Back:** Managers Chris Almeida, Dennis Carroll, Elizabeth Hangasky, Denise Bradway, Sarah Rustic, Coach Kurt Anderson.



Joe Goncalves

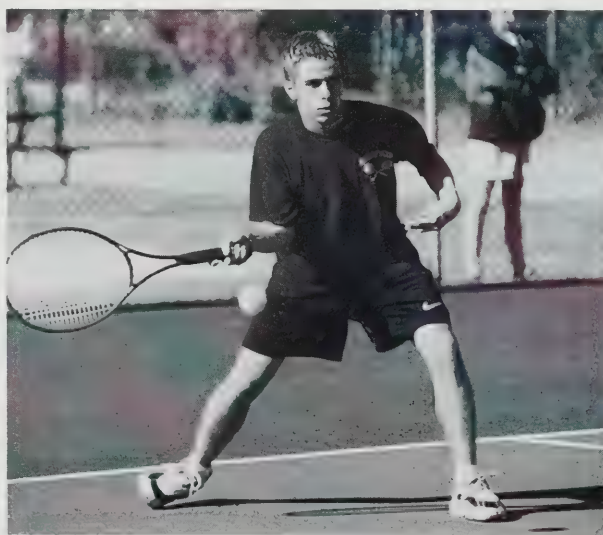
Number-one player, captain Joe Goncalves, 11-6, led the Lions to a winning record of 11-6. His best match was against two-time All-Western Mass. Longmeadow competitor, Alex Grodd 1-6, 6-4, 7-6. A four year varsity athlete, Goncalves's leadership and determination was instrumental to the teams success. "Joe is an outstanding athlete whose competitive spirit allows him to get the most out of his abilities," said Coach Tad Tokarz.

Boys' Tennis

C`o`m`m`i`t`m`e`n`t`

Under coach Tad Tokarz the boys' tennis team finished the season with a winning 11-6 record and a berth in the Western Massachussetts tournament. It lost in the semi-finals to a tough and skilled opponent, Longmeadow.

The team got off to a hot start winning its first seven games, but struggled as the season got older and lost five of its next six games.



▲▲ Front: Adam Kulas, Helder Pires, Justin Rodrigo, Brock Gaspar. Back: Dominik Sieber, Joe Goncalves, Jorge Fonseca, Timothy Dias, Mark Oliveira, Coach Tad Tokarz.

▲ Third-singles, Justin Rodrigo uses his forehand while trying to return the volley to his opponent's side.

▼ Coach Tad Tokarz talks some strategy with his senior first-singles tennis player, Joe Goncalves, before a match.



Ludlow		Opponent
5	Chicopee Comp.	0
4	Chicopee	1
5	Belchertown	0
4	Westfield	1
4	Central	1
5	Agawam	0
4	West Springfield	1
1	Northampton	4
1	Minnechaug	4
2	Longmeadow	3
2	Amherst	3
3	Holyoke	2
2	East Longmeadow	3
4	Cathedral	1
5	South Hadley	0
4	Pittsfield	1
0	Longmeadow	5



Jorge Fonseca



Mark Oliveira



Justin Rodrigo



Joe Goncalves



▲ Mark Oliveira uses a powerful two-handed forehand to return the tennis ball into his opponent's court.

Number one, Jennifer Genovevo, concentrates on her forehand while running the baseline.

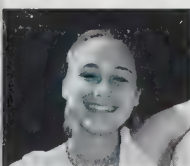


Girls' Tennis

O`b`s`t`a`c`l`e`s`

The girls' tennis team finished the season with a 10-8 record under head coach John Carlin. The team qualified for the Western Massachusetts tournament where it fell short to West Springfield and lost 2-3.

The team started off strong, winning its first six out of seven games. It lost its next six out of nine and had a bad finish to the end the season.



Lindsay Calkins



Aldina Torrao

Ludlow	Opponent	
5	Chicopee Comp.	0
5	Chicopee	0
1	Belchertown	4
4	Westfield	1
4	Central	1
4	Palmer	1
4	Agawam	1
1	West Springfield	4
0	Northampton	5
3	Minnechaug	2
0	Longmeadow	3
1	Amherst	4
2	Holyoke	3
2	East Longmeadow	3
3	Cathedral	2
4	South Hadley	1
4	Westfield	1
2	West Springfield	3



Senior captain, Lindsay Calkins, power serves to her opponent.



Melissa Santos serves the ball to her West Springfield opponent at the Ladies' home court, Whitney Park.



Front: Lindsay Calkins, Aldina Torrao. Second: Katelyn Thompson, Joanne Wozniak, Jennifer Genovevo, Michelle Zina, Alicia Fidalgo. Back: Allison Butler, Jill Krystofik, Jessica Vital, Kara Livingston, Melissa Santos, Coach John Carlin.

Aldina Torrao watches her serve, hoping for an ace.



Lindsay Calkins

Putting up a fight against Western Mass. Champions Amherst, Lindsay Calkins and her two year partner Aldina Torrao forced their opponents to compete a third round.

Second year Western Mass. competitor, Aldina Torrao and her partner went 12-3-1, the best girls' record among their teammates. She was known for her tricky techniques and wacky shots.



Aldina Torrao



Brian Priore
Javelin
thrower.
Brian Priore
sometimes
also threw
shot-put.
As captain,
he led his
4x400m
relay team
to the
Pioneer
Valley and
Western
Mass.
individuals.
Endurance
and
determination
were deadly
in the last
stretch of
the 400 as
he would
push to a
sprint to
place and
gain points
for his
team. By
the end of
the season,
senior
Priore
improved
dramatically
cutting his
400m time
to under
one minute.

Boys' Track

N`e`w` I`d`e`n`t`i`t`y`

With many new talented faces, the boys' track team made history this year having won two meets, the best record in five years.

The team's plus, a dominant athlete in every event, made up for its lack of players. Many went to the Western Massachusetts competition, but first year sophomore Dave Padykula, jumper and sprinter, shone in the triple jump making states.



▲ Front: Jonathan Dias, Nick Gagne, Mark Bates, Michael Diotalevi, Cristopher Bernardo. Second: Eric Gove, Adam Cassamasse, Andrew Leonezyk, David Padykula, Dario Camacho, David Vigliano. Back: Manager Nicole Phaneuf, Robert Byrne, Justin Dolley, Brent Bonzek, Richard Bradway, Robert Vice, Coach Rebecca Uhler, Coach David Larrivee.

▲ Dario Camacho, Ludlow's top hurdler this year, qualified for Pioneer Valley with a time of 18.0 in the high hurdles.

▼ Western Mass. contendor and Ludlow's best high jumper, Rich Bradway set a new school record clearing 6'0" at Pioneer Valley Individuals.



Ludlow	Opponent	
49	East Longmeadow	87
68	Southwick	71
76	South Hadley	65
19	Amherst	126
42.5	Palmer	93.5
40	Chicopee	104
49	Northampton	96
69	Monson	67
66	Holyoke Catholic	70



Robert Vice



Brent Bonzek



Dave Vigliano



Brian Priore



▲ Rob Vice runs the final stretch of the relay race at the Ludlow/Southwick meet.



High jumpers, Marcy Bousquet and Melanie Hastings go over their strategies during warm-ups.



Girls' Track

C`o`n`s`e`q`u`e`n`c`e`s`

The girls' track team had a winning 5-4 season and many new faces making Pioneer Valley Individuals and Western Massachusetts appearances.

The team still didn't have a track, but it did receive a new assistant, Coach Mike Gauvine.

New faces qualified Western Mass. individuals, including Sandy Salvador in the 100m, and at states, Katie Louvitakis in the 200m.



Renee Gagne and Amena Assaf



Jolene Galvin and Launa Saleh



Tiffany Kapinos



Cidalia Faria



Melanie Hastings

Ludlow	Opponent	
55	East Longmeadow	81
80.5	Southwick	65.5
55	South Hadley	81
91	Chicopee Comp.	45
44	Palmer	101
67	Chicopee	69
92	Holyoke	43
83	Monson	57
98	Holyoke Catholic	37



Speedy Sandy Salvador and Katie Louvitakis go head-to-head as they move to the final stretch of the 100m.

Giving everything she has, senior shot-putter Launa Saleh lets it rip, hoping to qualify for individuals.

Front: Lindsey Palatino, Kori Binette, Katie Knowles, Renee Gagne, Amena Assaf, Jolene Galvin, Aislinn Emirzian, Jodi Lucas. Second: Michelle Sagan, Lauren Mislak, Brandi Lawrence, Shruti Kulkarni, Heidi Mariani, Kristine Goncalves, Rosemary Gaudreau. Third: Lisa Phaneuf, Katie Louvitakis, Kristin Joyal, Kim Sagan, Suzanne Rodrigues, Marcy Bousquet, Angela Goncalves. Back: Assistant Coach Mike Gauvin, Tina Palatino, Manager Karen Silveira, Tina Santos, Kim Askew, Alyssa Momnie, Carlee Belliveau, Launa Saleh, Elizabeth Barros, Laura Momnie, Coach Phil Dalessio, Manager Mike Kessler.



Melanie Hastings

Three time Western Mass. competitor, senior high jumper Melanie Hastings developed a new approach step improving her form and gaining tremendous height. She has competed two years at the Baystate Games placing fourth and is joining the girls' track team at Springfield College. Determination and power will help her fulfill her goal to go to the Olympics.

► Seniors Grace Sa, Jay Juliano, and Michelle Mateus enjoy their food at a Connecticut buffet on their mystery trip.





Senior Chris Courchesne relaxes back stage at senior show.



Seniors Jackie Coelho, Nikki Rodrigues, and Liz Pereira hang out at their mystery trip.



Seniors Angela Tiago, Todd Kiel, and Kim Mosio eagerly await the showing of Everest.



Senior Martha Ferrabelo, also known as "Big Bertha," shows off her big butt at senior show.

Activities

Signs Of Importance

Activities are an important part of the life of any student in high school. When students look back on their high school memories, they recall the exciting times that they had with their friends. Trips and events like the senior show help to bring the students together and create lasting memories. Although classes are important, students also value other activities and look forward to them.

Senior week is also a special time for all of the students in the school. The seniors enjoy their final banquet, their field trip, and all of the fun activities. Both faculty and students enjoy Class Day, Senior Assembly, and Graduation. These events allow the seniors to say good-bye and to leave high school with memories that will last them a lifetime.

Renovations

Building Activities

One of the biggest and most marked changes in the year of 1999 was the start of building renovations. After a close vote, the anticipated work finally began in a groundbreaking ceremony on May 10th.

Some of the renovations that are expected to occur are a new auditorium, new classrooms, new sports and practice fields, and a new gymnasium. By June, the school was already changed in major ways. The parking lot was demolished in order to make room for the abundance of equipment that is part of the renovations process. The history wing of the high school was also obliterated during the process and the teachers were relocated to different rooms in the school.

In spite of the many changes that occurred, the students remained optimistic.



▲ Before the renovations, the front of the school looked much the same way for over thirty-five years. Some of the traditional sights were the mosaic and large windows in front of the building. But once the renovations began, the windows were boarded up and the front became a site for construction.

► The pine trees planted over the years by graduating classes were cut down so that work could begin. Students were forced to enter the building at the office entrance, and later through the back doors only.





◀ The front of the school was boarded up and marked for destruction early into the renovations. Orange Xs were on interior walls and doors as well.

◀ Junior President Matt Leal, President of Student Council Jennifer Bailey, Freshman President Joel Baillargeon, Sophomore President Lisete Simoes, and Senior President Heather Fonseca all took part in the groundbreaking ceremony alongside town officials.



◀ The library was also cleared out for renovations early in the project. In fact, sections of the library were unusable for the entire year, long before demolition began. As a result, all of the books and computers were moved to the teachers' lounge. The relocation procedures were long and often messy.



▲ The groundbreaking ceremonies included many officials: Vice-principal Toni-Marie Mancuso, Principal James Cavallo, Building Committee Chairman Bernard Regnier, Architect Anthony Tappé, Representative Thomas Petrolati, Selectman George Fonseca, Superintendent of Schools Dr. William Compton, and School Committee Chairman Joseph Santos.

◀ Room 224 was Mr. Leonard Charest's room for many years. He and the teachers in the social studies wing of the school were relocated due to renovations. The hallway was then marked with fluorescent orange paint to signify what must be demolished.

France is blessed with many splendid landscapes. Here is just one of the many well-maintained gardens found on the grounds of the Palace of Versailles.

The principality of Monaco boasts a breathtaking view of its shoreline as seen from above.

This fountain is found outside the Palace of Versailles, just southwest of Paris. Its roots come from a Greek legend which says that the god on top of the fountain transformed people into the frogs that surround it at its base.



The group of travelers gathers together upon some ruins in Paris while on its tour of France during spring vacation.

Danielle Maruca relaxes before the beautiful landscape of Nice while traveling in southern France.

France

Changing Countries

On April 15, nineteen Ludlow High School students departed from Logan International Airport on British Airways and began a journey that would enhance their lives. These students under the guidance of Mr. James Martin and Mrs. Frances Libiszewski, visited areas of Paris, Avignon, Montpellier, St.- Paul- de-Vence, Nice, and the Principality of Monaco.

These travels took in such sights as the Eiffel Tower, Cathedral of Notre Dame, Versailles, Louvre Museum, and the French Riviera. Students traveled through France by bus, boat, plane, and even a fast moving train. For the more adventurous, a horseback ride through the French countryside fit the bill.

After difficulty communicating with the locals, students returned home with luggage full of souvenirs, countless rolls of film, and everlasting memories.



▲ Good friends Jenn Swist and Elaine Chrzan enjoy a boat ride through one of Paris's waterways.

▲ Mike Ostrowski takes a break from his tour of Paris to relax in the shade on a cement structure.

► Senior Jay Juliano and friends prepare for their skit ATM. Juliano played a Portuguese man who could not figure out how to use the ATM machine.

►► The senior class nervously awaits its cue backstage on the first night of the show. The class began the show with the song "Movin' on Up."

► Seniors Dave Provost, Ken Topham, Mike Talbot, and Ken Gauthier from the band Pilate and the DBC with friend Kelly Deptula, anxiously await their moment on stage. The band played a song by the band The Smashing Pumpkins and did a wonderful job.



▲ A group of senior dancers stop for a moment before taking their turn on stage. The group danced in a number modeled after the TV show *Star Search*, to the song "Are You That Somebody?" by Aaliyah.

► Senior Heather Fonseca applies makeup in the senior lounge before the show begins. Throughout the show, the seniors used the lounge as a dressing room and a place to get makeup and props together.

Senior Show

Movin' on Up

No event brings the senior class closer together than the production of the annual senior show. This year was no different, and the two hour long program proved that point. The seniors had a chance to demonstrate their music, acting and dancing talent in front of their friends and family.

The show "Movin' on Up" was held early this year, on February 26th and 27th in the high school auditorium. The class worked very hard on the show. Senior Sarah Jaciow showed off her saxophone talent in the number "Butterfly Kisses," while Bob Shanley amazed the audience with his Michael Jackson impression in Club 99.

The show was possible because of the hard work by student coordinators Jennifer Bailey, Steve Carroll, Alissa Pereira, and Nicole Phaneuf, and the work of directors Mr. Paulo Zina and Mrs. Robin Esteb.



▲ Seniors Katie Bassette, Vicky Ribeiro, Martha Ferrabelo, and Phil Vitorino spend their time backstage making posters. The seniors held up these posters as a greeting to friends and family at the conclusion of the show.

▲ Kim Mosio dresses up like a nerd in her skit about the shortcomings of the library and administrative staff.

Mystery Trip

Changing Destination

After a great deal of turmoil, the senior class finally went on its mystery trip. The destination of the trip was decided upon after the original trip to the *Sally Jessy Raphael* show had been refused by the School Committee.

The second trip was planned for Friday, March 19th and was a surprise to the senior class. Seniors left the school at 6:30 in the morning and were treated to breakfast at the Home Country Buffet. Their next stop was to Maritime Aquarium to the IMAX theatre to see the movie *Everest*. After a brief walk around the aquarium, the students reached their final destination, New York City. After a meal at the All-Star Cafe, seniors spent two hours shopping and sightseeing.



▲ Seniors Jessica Lafleur and Ashlee Goncalves smile as they await the beginning of the movie *Everest* at the IMAX theatre. The surround screen movie was so realistic that the students felt like they could see Mt. Everest.

► Rob Mathias, Lindsay Calkins, Justin Joyal, Matt Glista, and Tony Juliano await their meals at the All-Star Cafe in New York City. After the meal the students spent their time walking around the city. Some of the most popular sights to visit were stores like Virgin Records, The NBC store, and Tiffany's. Places famous to New York, such as Rockefeller Center and Central Park, were also favorites among students.





◀◀ Times Square was only one of the places that the seniors visited on their mystery trip.

◀ Christina Rys, Tiffany Tetrault, Sarah St. Pierre, Anne Kowalski, Dessire Vitorino, Kim LaPlante, and Theresa Widor take a break in the aquarium before heading to their next destination, The All-Star Cafe.



◀ A large group of seniors inside the Maritime Aquarium patiently awaits the next portion of the trip.



▲ Justin Rodrigo, Jill Nascimento, Alissa Pereira, Jenn Bailey, and Jenn Prior drink their beverages at the All-Star Cafe while awaiting their meals. The seniors had a choice of a chicken sandwich, hamburger, or vegetarian burger for lunch.

◀ The All-Star Cafe was a popular place to take pictures due to the abundance of sports memorabilia. Leora Martins, Liz Pereira, Nikki Rodrigues, and Maria Pereira take some in front of a sports collage.

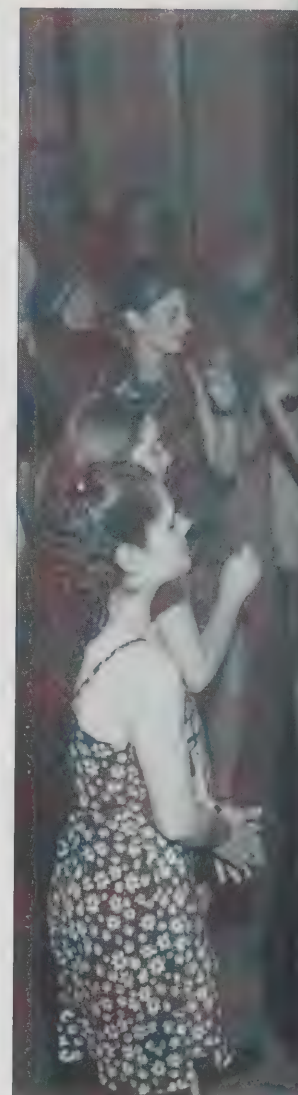
▶ Matt DaCruz leans his head out of the window of the Polish American Veterans Club in order to get fresh air at the senior banquet. The night of the banquet, the temperature was in the high eighties and many seniors became very hot from dancing.



▶ Hawaiian shirts were a popular item to be worn at the banquet. Seniors Carl Binette, Gabe Faria, Filipe Mendes, and Marco Saraiva show off their fashion sense with a variety of patterns.



▶▶ The senior banquet was one of the last functions that the class attended as a whole. Here, seniors make memories as they dance the night away. They are surrounded by fog from the fog machine, one of the many special effects that was provided by DJ Dave Costa.



▲ Julianne Placzek and friends gather at their last banquet to share stories about the past years of high school.

▶ Seniors Steve Carroll and Jolene Galvin dance the night away at the senior class banquet. The banquet gave seniors a chance to get together for one last night of fun as a class before they graduated.

Senior Banquet

Signs of Finality

On Thursday, May 27th, the Class of 1999 gathered together for one last time for its senior banquet at the Polish American Veterans Club in Wilbraham. The seniors enjoyed a great buffet that included chicken, salad, ziti, and potatoes catered by the club itself.

Before long the seniors were dancing the night away to music provided by DJ Dave Costa. Many used the time to make amends with their foes and better get to know other members of their class.

◆ One of the events that occurred at the banquet was the cake cutting ceremony. All of the class officers for the Class of 1999 cut a cake for the class. Each officer had a hand on the knife to symbolize class unity. Finally the night came to a close. But the memories and laughter will never be forgotten.



▲ The senior class joined together in a circle to sing the senior class song, "Time of Your Life (Good Riddance)" by Green Day.

◆ Class officers Jennifer Prior, Jennifer Bailey, Jason Juliano, and Heather Fonseca cut the senior cake at the banquet. Each officer had a hand on the knife while the cake was cut to symbolize class unity.

Senior Trip

Signs of Memories

On June 1st, the seniors headed out to The Village in Barkhamstead, Connecticut, for their final class trip. Seniors enjoyed a variety of food which included a fantastic sundae bar with all of the toppings for dessert. When they were not eating, the class could take part in such activities as boating, basketball, volleyball, and swimming.

Senior olympics were also held during the trip. Events included "fill the bucket," a three legged race, a balloon toss, and the eraser run. With fellow students cheering them on, seniors drenched teachers with cold water. Sr. Paulo Zina was overheard commenting, "I feel refreshed." As the day came to a close, the seniors relaxed by the pool and enjoyed each other's company.



▲ Melanie Hastings and Danielle Maruca make their way to the finish line as they participate in the three legged race. The competition took a lot of coordination and many groups found themselves falling a great deal.

► Dessire Vitorino, Nancy Teixeira, and Lindsay Gauthier all attempt to catch the balloons thrown towards them during the balloon toss portion of the senior olympics.





❖ The beautiful area surrounding The Village included a large lake, tennis courts, an in-ground pool, and basketball courts all for the students to enjoy.

❖ Boating was a popular activity for many of the students that attended the trip. Unfortunately, the boat containing seniors Vicky Riberio, Phil Vitorino, Katie Bassette, and Jay Juliano capsized in the water. The seniors spent much of the trip bailing the water out of the boat.



❖ Many students participated in volleyball games during the trip. Seniors Danielle Bowen, Christie Bianchi, and Melissa Hatch relax before playing another game.



▲ Marie Teixeira and Evan O'Connell share an affectionate hug near the lake while they relax on their trip to The Village.

❖ Senior Nick Gates shows off his pitching arm when he throws the balloon to his partner Dave Vigliano during the balloon toss. The group advanced to the final round of the competition.

► Brian Pereira, Mark Honorio, and Jose Sanches listen attentively to the speeches presented to them on Class Day.



► National Honor Society members Christina Sanches, Sarah Jaciow, and Elaine Chrzan receive their stoles, pins, and certificates from Principal James Cavallo.



► Kenneth Topham receives a handshake from Mr. James Cavallo and the Louis Armstrong award for excellence in music.



▲ Elizabeth Tavares, Anne Kowalski, Susan Goncalves, and Renee Gagne applaud for one of the many speeches of the day. Speeches were presented by Salutatorian Jennifer Jolivet, Principal James Cavallo, School Committee Chairman Joseph Santos, and Interim Superintendent Dr. Mary Ferron.

▲ Mr. Cavallo hands Margarida Cordeiro her award for excellence in the Portuguese language. The individual awards go to the students with the highest average in the given subject. This year the award was also given to Christie Bianchi.

Class Day

Signs of Recognition

On June 2nd, the annual Class Day was held for the last time in the pre-renovated auditorium. The seniors entered the auditorium as the band played the traditional "Pomp and Circumstance." There were many speakers present to give their annual addresses to the Class of 1999, including speeches by Senior Class President Heather Fonseca, Principal James Cavallo, School Committee Chairperson Joseph Santos, Interim Superintendent Dr. Mary Ferron, and Student Council President Jennifer Bailey.

Following the speeches, members of the senior class reminisced about the past four years in high school during the class histories. Next came the announcing of future predictions and the revealing of class ballot winners. Salutatorian Jennifer Jolivet gave the Class Day Oration. Then Cavallo presented numerous scholarships and awards to the seniors, and Assistant Principal Toni-Marie Mancuso introduced the top ten ranking students. For closing, Bailey read the class poem, "Good-bye."



▲ Mr. Cavallo hands Jennifer Wright her James Thompson memorial scholarship.

▼ As Cidalia Faria looks on, Tiffiny Santos gives her part of the sophomore year class history. The histories for each year included information about what happened during that time and humorous stories and memories about the year.

Senior Assembly

Signs of Tradition

As the traditional song "Scarborough Fair" played, the seniors slowly proceeded into the auditorium on June 3rd. Senior Assembly was put on by a committee of juniors, and Junior Class President Matthew Leal welcomed everyone. During the assembly, the class gift was presented by Jennifer Bailey, the concert choir sang, and the 1999 class officers were recognized.

Throughout the program, many pictures were shown on the wall of the auditorium, and three skits were performed by the juniors. When the letters were handed out to the parents, many tears were shed. Then Senior Class President Heather Fonseca handed the peace pipe to Dan Saunders, senior class president of 2000. The juniors continued many traditions of Senior Assembly, but they started a new one when they handed out red roses to the senior class. To close the ceremony, candles were lit and raised to honor the seniors.



▲ Dan Saunders, senior class president of 2000, addresses the audience after receiving the peace pipe from Heather Fonseca, senior class president of 1999.

► Melissa Hammel hugs her mother Gail after giving her a letter. This part of the ceremony was filled with emotion and tears.





◆ Renee Gagne, Tiffany Santos, Liz Pereira, Maria Pereira, and Cindy Branco laugh while watching the slide show which contained pictures of the seniors as children.

◆ Senior female nominees for class vocalist sing "Seasons of Love" from the Broadway musical *Rent* during the assembly.



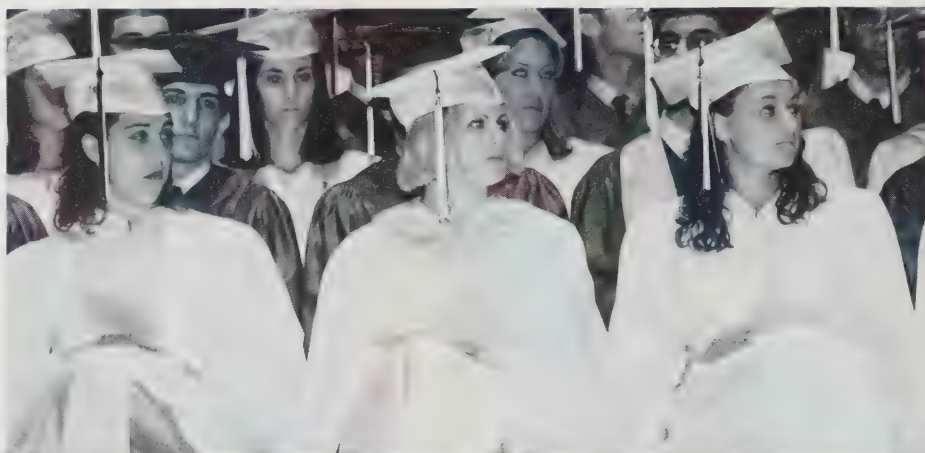
◆ The "Backdoor Boys," Dmitry Privedenyuk, Dustin Gray, Ronald Antaya, and Michael Almeida, perform for the seniors.



▲ Members of the senior class and audience members applaud during the assembly.

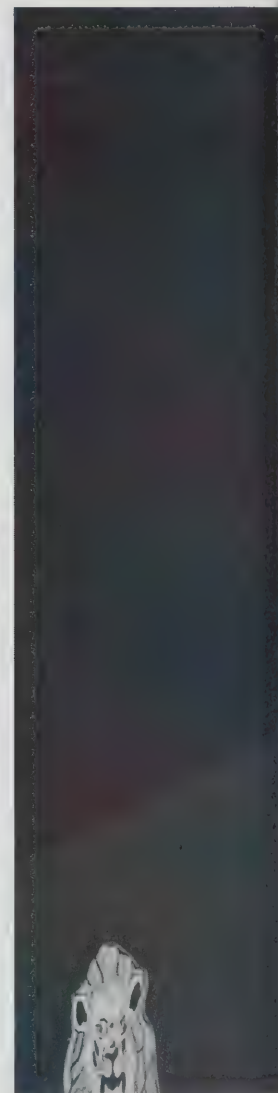
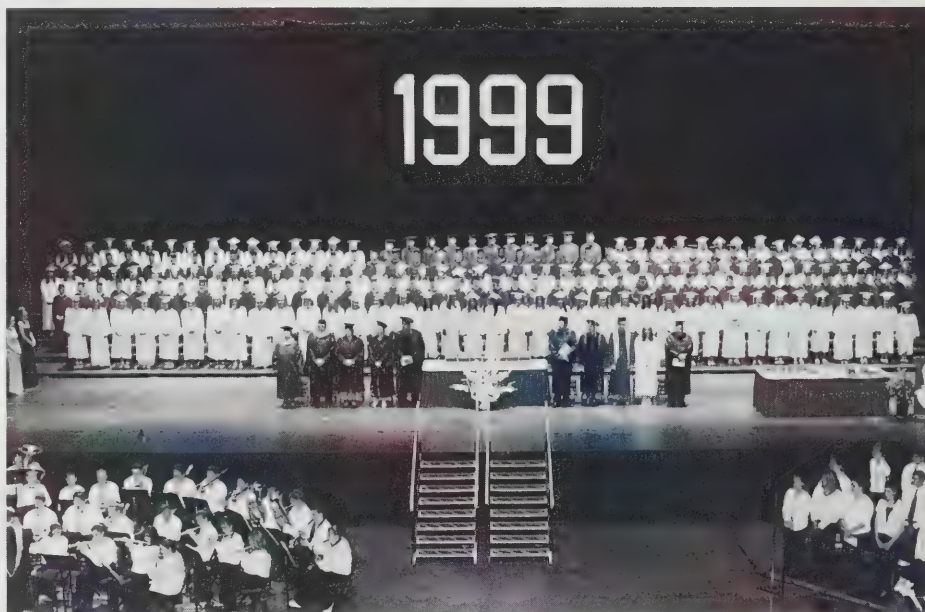
◆ Alicia Fidalgo leads the seniors into the auditorium. Many juniors held the arch of roses that the seniors walked through. Bobbi-Lynn Gregory, left, and Katie Knowles, right, were just two of the many juniors who participated in the ceremony.

Senior Class President Heather Fonseca addresses the audience after the members of the Class of 1999 received their diplomas. She spoke of courage and bravery and made mention of Tracy Rodrigues and high jumper Melanie Hastings.



Jennifer Dion, Katelyn Hill, and Laura Croteau listen attentively during the ceremony. Speakers included Mr. Cavallo, class president Heather Fonseca, Valedictorian Philip Vitorino, and Interim Superintendent Dr. Mary Ferron.

The Class of 1999 stands together for the last time.



As the Class of 1999 stands in ovation for Mr. Lawrence Holdsworth, he receives his teacher's recognition award from Mr. Cavallo. Mr. Holdsworth taught economics at the high school for 29 years.

Salutarian Jennifer Joilvet and Valedictorian Philip Vitorino stand together before entering the Mullins Center for graduation.

Graduation

Signs of Farewell

Graduation was held on June 4th at the UMass Mullins Center at 7:30 p.m. The 209 graduating seniors of the Class of 1999 filed onto the stage as the band played "Pomp and Circumstance." Senior concert choir and the band performed one last time before Philip Vitorino gave his valedictory address. Mr. James Cavallo then presented numerous awards to seniors, and Dr. Mary Ferron, interim superintendent, presented the class to Chairman of the School Committee Joseph Santos.

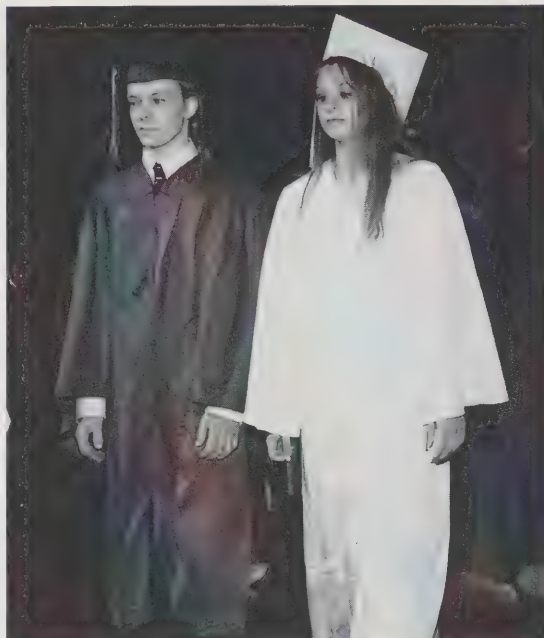
After the speeches, Mr. Cavallo and Mr. Santos awarded the diplomas to the seniors. Class President Heather Fonseca gave the graduation message to the class. Mr. Cavallo then recognized the teachers that had retired over the past school year, and Mrs. Toni-Marie Mancuso, vice-principal, gave Mr. Cavallo a special award for his upcoming retirement. To end the ceremony, the band played "The Star Spangled Banner," and the new graduates marched out to "Music for a Ceremony."



▲ Mr. Cavallo tips his cap to the crowd after receiving an award for his many years at Ludlow High School. After 19 years, Cavallo will retire in the summer from his job as principal.

◀ April Cyranowski smiles as she receives her diploma from Mr. Joseph Santos, chairman of the School Committee.

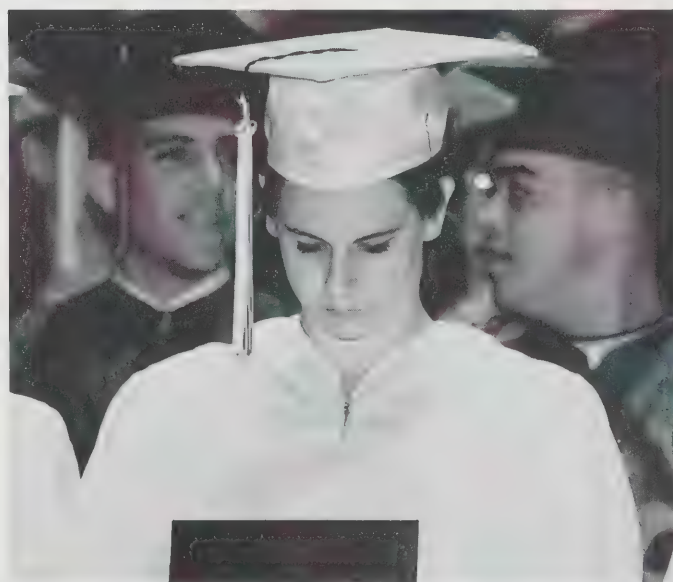
▶▶ Philip Vitorino, Valedictorian of the Class of 1999, speaks to the crowd. In his speech, he addressed the many changes that were occurring and stated, "We know not what lies ahead, but we can always draw from our past experiences."



▶ Kenneth Gauthier and Jolene Galvin march side by side into the Mullins Center at the start of graduation exercises.



▶ Robert Vice receives his diploma from Mr. Cavallo.



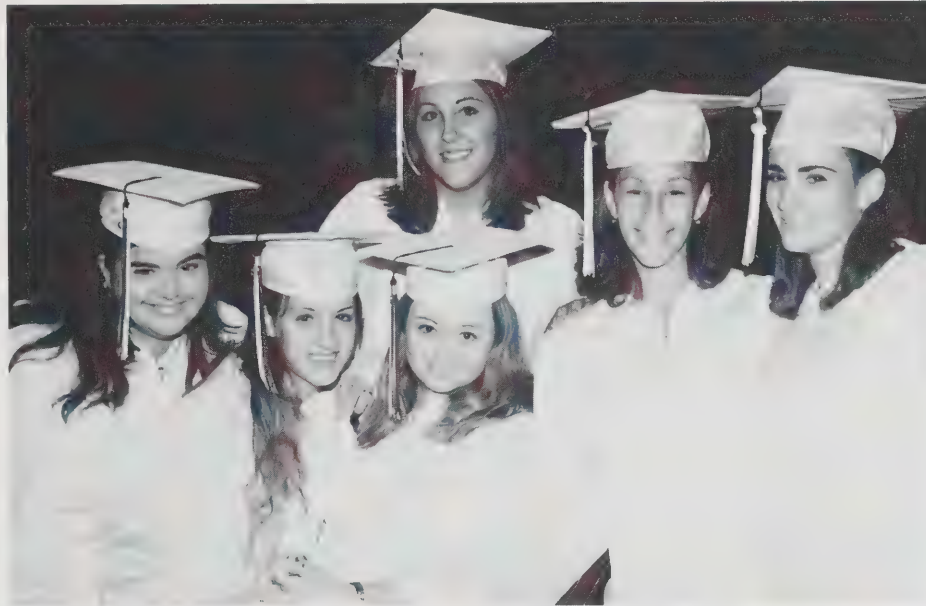
▶ Michelle Goodrow reflects upon her past four years at Ludlow High as she admires her diploma.

▶ School Committee Chairman Joseph Santos hands Robert Laurin his diploma as Mr. Cavallo waits to shake his hand.





◀ Bob Shanley clowns around with Justin Rodrigo and Joe Goncalves as he proudly displays his red lollipop.



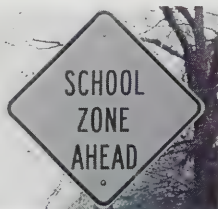
◀ Nancy Almeida, Cassie St. Aubin, Denise Anghilante, Alisha Grass, Sylvia Esteves, and Hilary Roberts gather together for a group picture before the ceremony. The girls have remained good friends for the four-year duration of high school.



▲ Michael Talbot raises his diploma to the crowd in celebration of his four years of work.

◀ Amy Ollari accepts her diploma from Mr. Joseph Santos with pride.

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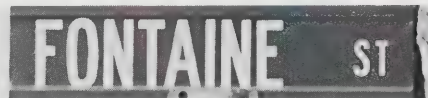
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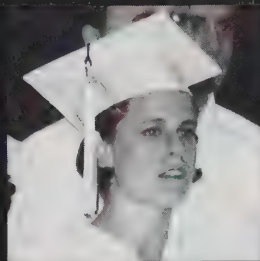
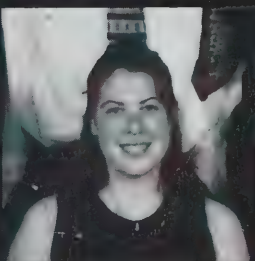
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"Hey man, what's uuup?"
12, 23, 97, 100, 113, 130, 158

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"Contrariwise," continued Tweedledee, "if it was so, it might be; and if it were so, it would be; but it isn't."



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Addison Walker
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Antonio Juliano

"So it ain't, that's how it is."
-Lewis Carroll
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323 Munsing St.
"I don't give a tinkie winkie."
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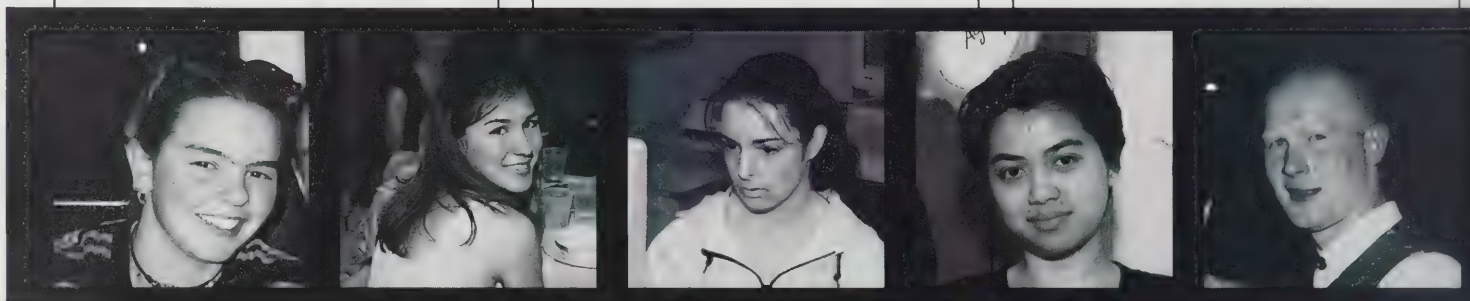
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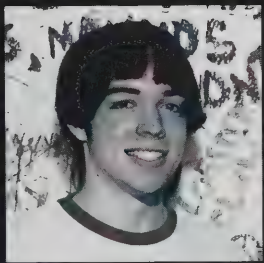
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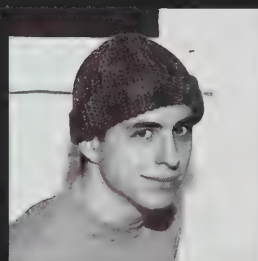
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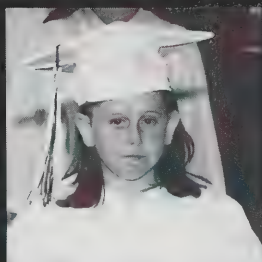
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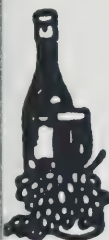
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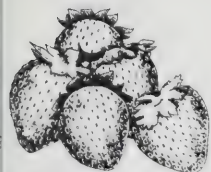


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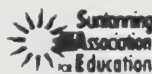
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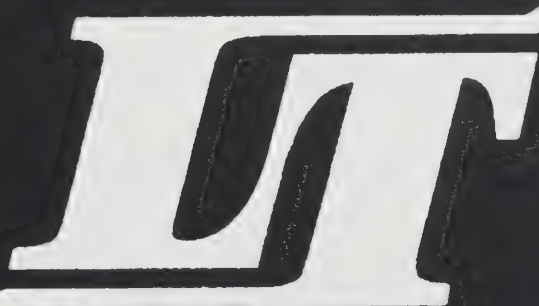
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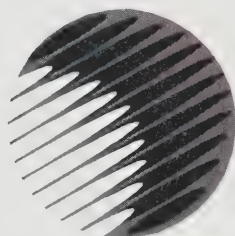
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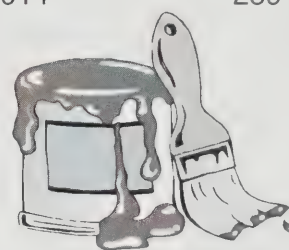
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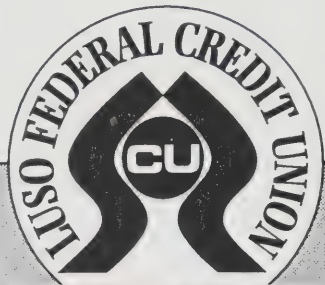


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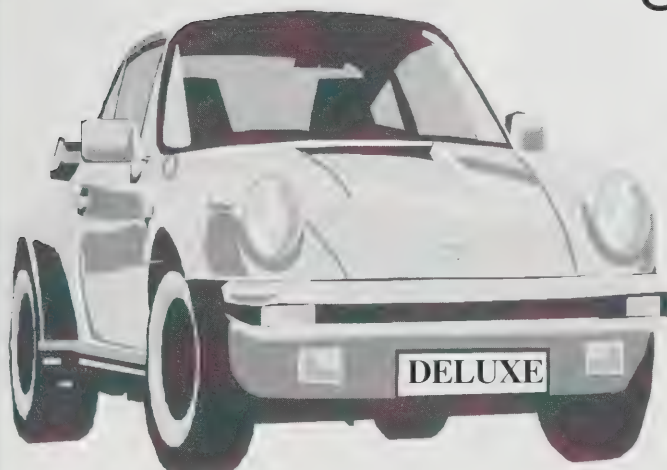
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Melissa,
No obstacles have ever stopped
you in your quest for life. We are
very proud of you and know you
will succeed in whatever lies
ahead.

Love,
Dad, Mom, and Karen

Querido
 filho,
 Hoje é um dia
 muito especial
 para nós, pois
 você chegou
 ao mundo.
 Estamos
 muito felizes
 por você.



Sabemos que
 você vai
 seguir.
 Parabéns

Amamos
 você.



... And remember being small
 Playing under the table and dreaming ...

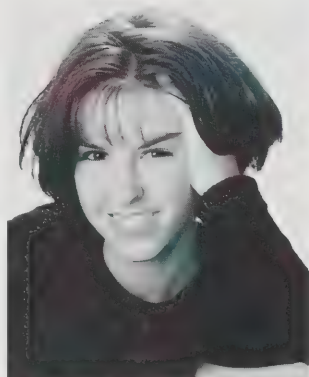
~ Dave Matthews, "Ants Marching," from
 the album *Remember Two Things*

Thanks for being my sister.

Love your "little" sister,
 Sarah

Rebecca,
 It's hard for us to
 believe you are graduating.
 It seems like just yesterday
 it all began. You have
 grown to be such a talented
 young woman, and we are
 so proud to be your parents.

Love,
 Mom & Dad



Mariusz,

May all of your goals and
dreams come true. We are so
very proud of you!

Love,
Mom, Dad, and Mirella

With our love
and congratula-
tions, Chris.

Proudly,
Mom, Dad, and
Jon



Mike,
Congratulations!
Success is within your
grasp. Seize the moment.
We all love you,
Mom, Dad, Terri,
and David



Congratulations Andrew,
Thank you for all
the joy in our hearts.
We are so proud of you.
Love,
Mom & Dad

Dear Mary,
You have
accomplished more
than we ever hoped for.
We are so proud of
you.
Love,
Mom & Dad



Christina,
May all of your dreams and goals
come true. We are so very proud of you.
Keep it up!

We love you,
Mom, Dad, and José



Congratulations
Christie!!

We all know Mom is
very proud of you!
Love,
Dad, Heather,
Meem, Vôvô, & Vôvô



Congratulations Danielle!

I am so very proud of you, and we wish all your dreams and goals to come true. Thank you for giving me such joy through all these years.

Love you always,
Mom & Tommy

Jen,

Live, Love,
Laugh, Learn, and
Always Keep Reach-
ing For Your Stars.

Love,
Mom & Dad



Alycia,

Each of us has something truly unique to offer the world, if only we have the courage to dream and the determination to make our dreams come true. We know you have both.

Love always,
Mom, Dad, Lindsay,
and Lexie

Dear Elaine,

Congratulations on all achievements and recognitions! Even when you were little, you knew your own mind and followed your direction. You have chosen and done well! We are very proud of you and wish you the very best life has to offer.

With all our love,
Mom & Dad

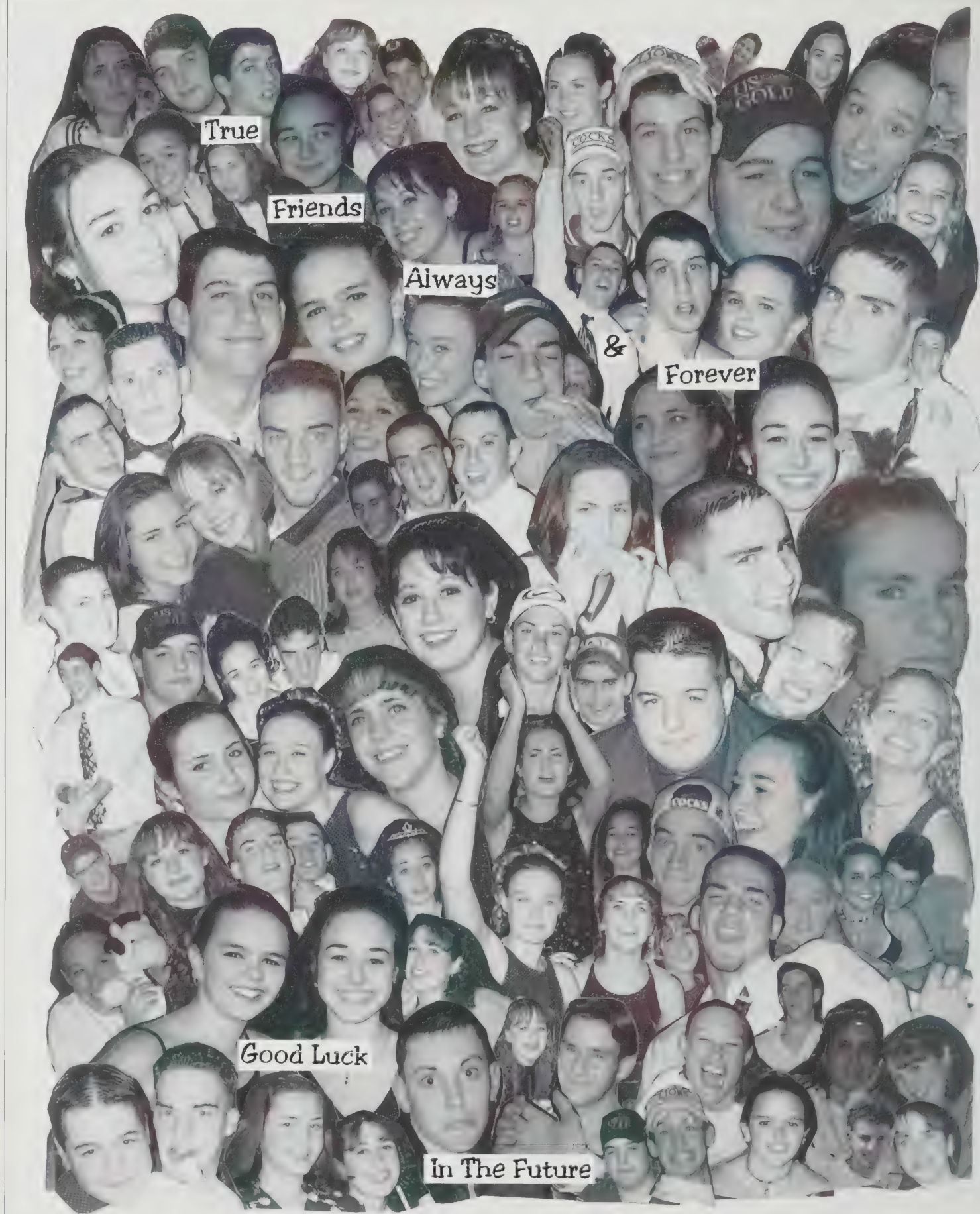


Elaine,

You have always been such a great sister and friend to me. I am so proud of what you have accomplished and who you've become. Congratulations, Li'l sis!

Love always and forever,
Donna







Nicki,
Keep Smiling!
We love you!
Mom,
Dad, Mia

Julianne,
*You were a
joy to us then,
and you are a
joy to us now.*

Love,
Mom, Dad,
and Randy



Dear Robby,

The times we had
together were great. It's a
shame we couldn't make
them last forever; but I will
carry them, and you, inside
me forever. Good luck in the
future, wherever it may take
you. I'll never forget you.

Love always,
Danielle



Angela,
*The words that
best describe your future
are by Kathe Kollwitz: "I
am in the world to change
the world."*

Love,
Mom, Dad, Bela, &
Susana



Annie,
*To my special
piece of sunshine.
Good luck and God
bless.*

Love,
The Outlaws, Mom
Vice and Michael



*Congratulations
and best wishes for
success and happi-
ness in your fu-
ture. We love you
dearly.*

*From your
Grandparents,
Mack & Helen
Homes*



Rob,

*I love you, not only for what you are,
but for what I am when I am with you. Con-
gratulations.*

Love,
Anne

Anne,

We want you to know that we love you very much and we could not be more proud of you than we are right now. You have turned into a beautiful young woman and whichever direction you travel, you will always be successful. We will always be there to support you on your way to your dreams. We love you!

Mom and Dad



Annie,

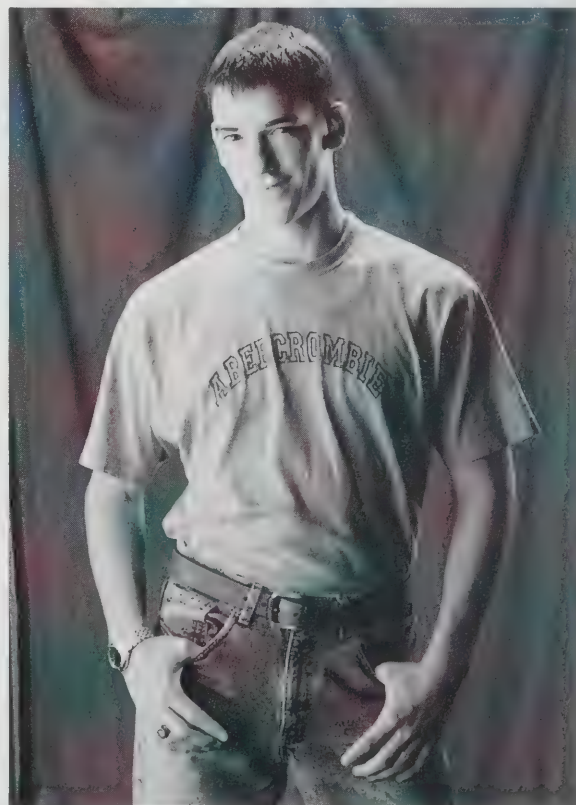
Congratulations on your graduation! Welcome to the real world, baby sister! We both are very proud of you!

*Love,
Steve and Mike*

Rob,

I hope you had the time of your life. I enjoyed sharing every minute of it. I'm so proud of the man you've become and love you very much. May God always be with you.

Love,
Mom





*Chris,
Thanks for be-
ing my brother, my
friend.
Congratulations!*

*Love always,
Sara*



Chris,

Congratulations! We are so proud of you. We hope all your dreams come true, and your life is filled with love, health, happiness, and success.

*We love you,
Mom and Dad*



Kimberly,

*Congratulations to our "Little Princess."
You've made us so happy and so very proud!*

Love,

Mom, Dad, and Brian



Edward,

**May all your dreams
and goals come true!**

Love,

**Mom, Larry, Jeff,
Melissa, and Brian**



Bobby,

**Thank you for
bringing so much joy
into our lives. We are so
very proud of you!**

**We love you,
Mom, Dad,
and Joe**



**Congratulations
Michelle!**

Words can't express how
proud we are of you, most of
all for the young lady you have
become. We wish you the
very best in whatever path in
life you choose.

We love you,
Mom, Eddie, &
Gabriele



Todd,

**You brighten everyone's life with
your love, kindness, and humor.
Always remember to follow your
dreams.**

**Love,
Mom, Dad, and Adam**



Tiffany,

*Thank you for
bringing so much joy and
happiness into our lives. Aim
high; the sky is the limit.*

Love

*Mom, Dad,
and Ricky*

*"I am already
given to the
power that
rules my fate,
and I cling to
nothing, so I
have nothing to
defend. I have
no thoughts, so
I will see. I fear
nothing, so I
will remember myself . . ."*



Congratulations Lenna!

*Love,
Mom, Dad, & Trina*

Jill,

*We are very proud of you.
Don't ever stop reaching for
your goals.*

*Love,
Dad, Mom, and Jodi*



Congratulations!

*There are fond memories of joy and
laughter when you were a little boy. As we've
watched you grow, there have been many
changes along the way.*

*Wishing you love and happiness, and
may all your dreams come true. Take pride
in all your accomplishments and future
endeavors!*

*With all our love,
Dad, Mom, and Kristen*





Marco,

You started school as a little boy; you now finish as a young man. Congratulations, we are proud of you.

Love,
Mom, Jay, and Cristina



AMY,

WE WISH
YOU ALL THE
BEST IN THE
FUTURE.

LOVE,
DAD, MOM, AND
MIKE

*Bella,
Good luck in
the future.
Congratulations!*

*We love you,
Mom and Dad*



Ashe,
Congratulations!
We hope all your
dreams come
true.

Love,
Mom & Dad



Grace,

We are so proud of you! May you
always find success and happiness at every
turn. Keep reaching for the sky and keep
smiling!

Love,
Mom, Dad, and Tanya

Shannon,

Congratulations!
Honey, we're very proud
of you and love you very
much. Reach for the
stars!!!

Love,
Mom and Dad





Marco,
Thanks for being
the big brother that
you are, even when I
didn't want you to be.
Congratulations!

Love your sister,
Cristina



Melissa

*You've always made us
proud. We know you have what
it takes to achieve every goal you
set for yourself. Our one wish for
you is to always be happy with the
choices you make.*

Love

Mom Dad

Lori and Courtney

*Jen,
Congratulations!
We love you!*

Mom and Dad



Congratulations, Megan!
We're all proud of you.

All our love,
Fred, Mom, Cala, and
NEATS



*Launa,
You have just
completed a chapter
in life ... a new and
exciting one is just
beginning!*

*We love you,
Mom and Nadia*

Jolene,

May you forever believe in yourself, and
your dreams will come true. You are always in my
heart.

Love,
Mom



*Joe,
Thank you for
just being who you
are. We are very
proud of you.*

*Love Ya,
Mom, Dad, and Julie*





Gassie,

You are the greatest friend anyone could ever ask for. For the past thirteen years you have been like a sister to me. Good luck in all you do.

Love Ya,
Denise



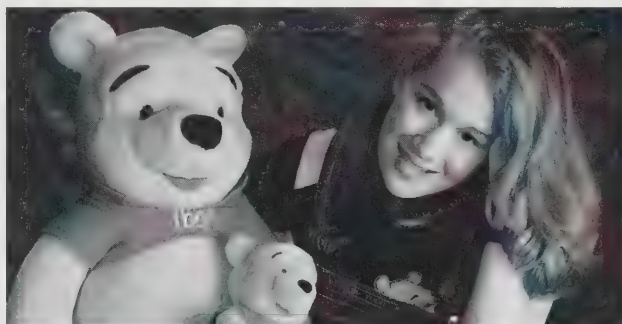
*Anna Maria,
We are all very
proud of you.
Congratulations and
good luck in the
future.*

*Love,
Mom, Dad, Susie, &
Benny*

Laura,

We watched you grow into a beautiful young lady. We are so blessed to have a daughter like you. Hold on to all your dreams and they will come true. We are so proud of you.

With all our love,
Mom and Dad



Congratulations Lisa!



Nicole,

"Knowledge is gained by learning; trust by doubt; skill by practice; and love by love."
Thomas Szasz

You have always been a great friend to us, and we will never forget you. We'd wish you good luck, but we know you don't need it.

Love always,
Melissa and Dan



*Amena, you're an angel.
May your wings carry you farther
than you would ever imagine so.*

*All our love,
Mom, Dad, Mike, and Jamie*



*Pumpkin
(Crystal),
Over the years
we have been
through many
ups and downs,
but they have
made all of us
much stronger.
By achieving
this goal, you*

*prove to us nothing can stand in your way.
We are so very proud of your accomplishment.
We both look forward to watching you
achieve all your future goals.*

*Love always and forever,
Mom and Dad*



Lindsay,

You worked very hard to reach your goals, and we are very proud of you. Congratulations!

Love always,
Mom, Dad, and Jennifer

God bless you
Christopher.
May happiness
and success be
yours.

Love from all,
Mom, Dad,
Margy, Mere,
Rob, and Abby





Nuno,

We hope you will always be happy in life, and reach for your goals. We are very proud of you.

**We love you always,
Mom and Dad**

"Pride" is not only a group of Ludlow Lions, but an emotion all of you make us feel. Good Luck.



Love,
Mom and Dad Riopel

*Congratulations
Vicky! We are
very proud of you.
Keep up the good
work!*

*Love,
Mom, Dad, Jess,
& Katie*



Angela,

You always made me laugh, especially when I needed it most. Thanks for being the sister I always wanted. I hope the path you take will be filled with love, laughter, and happiness.

Love always,
Heather



Heather,

We are proud of you. Follow your dreams, and don't stop until you achieve them. Remember, when one door closes, another opens. May all your doors open to success and happiness. May God continue to guide you and fill your path with love, health, and happiness. Remember that we are always here for you.

Love,
Mom, Dad, Tony Jr., and Kevin



Martha and Melisa,

We will forever be "the girls that never die!"
You guys are the greatest friends, and I could never live without either of you.

Bestest of friends,
always and forever,
Heather



My fellow classmates,

My advice to you is to aim high and to go beyond the gold. All of you have inspired me and each other. Never forget the memories we've made together. Best of luck and never forget, "The Class of '99 will forever stand with the tallest of the tall" (from "Goodbye" by Jennifer Bailey).

Hugs and Kisses,
Heather Fonseca
Senior Class President



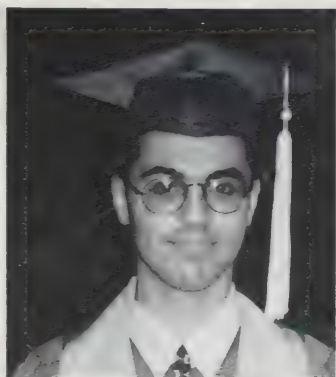


Leaving Signs

As the days flew by and graduation day approached, the students in the class of 1999 experienced one of the biggest changes of their lives.

Although graduation put an end to the days at Ludlow High School, it also opened the door to a world of change and opportunity. Each student chose the path that his life would take. Some went to college and some to the work force, but every student experienced change.

So, when the newly graduated alumni walked out of the doors of the Mullins Center on June 4th, they took with them not only their diplomas but also memories that will last them a life time.



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This is the final page of a project that began long before the first day of school and ended long after graduation. I really don't think that I realized how much hard work producing a yearbook actually entailed, or how much I would enjoy the challenge.

"Changes" was the theme of the yearbook this year, and it seemed appropriate. Changes are a part of our lives forever. All stages of life present new changes and challenges that we must strive to accept and conquer. Yet, to do that we must realize who we are, who we were, and who we some day will be. This yearbook contains memories of the past that will never be forgotten.

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I hope that you enjoy the yearbook. I enjoyed putting it together. And remember, "None of us knows what the

next change is going to be, what unexpected opportunity is just around the corner, waiting a few months or a few years to change the tenor of our lives." -Kathleen Norris, *Hands Full of Living*.

Melissa M. Hammel

Signing Off



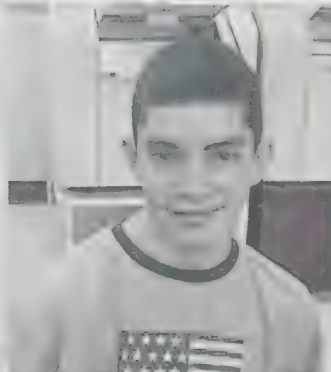
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